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Foreword

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THIS 1948 VILLISCA BLUE-JAY YEARBOOK IS RESPECTFULLY DEDICATED TO THE V. H. S. VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II.

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CARL PETERSON CHATHAM ANDERSON HELEN ROCKWELL

### YR1948PG008

Senior Class Officers

Harold Mains: "Birdie" has been a hard worker with good ideas in his work as Volcano co-editor this year. He has been a member of the mixed chours for four years, and has participated in dramatics. He was elected secretary of Hi-Y, and was chosen as class President this year, which shows him to be very popular fellow. Harold's ability guarantees his success.

Harold Geyer: "Hal" has been the "pep" of his class for four years, and has been an outstanding figure in athletics.

Since his first year on the varsity football squad, his sophomore year, he has always given everything he had. This year he was elected a co-captain. He has also participated in basketball, track, Hi-Y, and FFA.

Dixie Larson: "Dix" possesses a very pleasing personality which has won her the honor of class secretary in her junior and senior years. She has served her class very efficiently, and was also a homecoming attendant this year. She has worked hard and faithfully in Y-Teens, Library, and on the Volcano staff.

Carl Peterson: "Pete" has been an outstanding scholar in the class through out his high school career. He has participated in all sports, Hi-Y, and vocal music. His abilities extend far beyond average both as a student and a capable leader.

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Seniors 1948

LARRY GUSTAFSON

"Gus"

FFA 1-2-3-4, Marching & Concert Bands 2-3-4, Hi Y 2-3-4.

ANNA MARIE RHAMY

"Ann"

Glee Club 2, Y Teens 1-2-34, Librarian 2-3-4, Librarian President 4, Y Teen Cabinet 4.

JOE COPELIN

Hi Y 2-4, FFA 1-2-3-4, FFA Officers 4, FFA Basketball 3-4. JANICE JACKSON "Jackie" Volcano 1-2-3-4, Glee Club 1-2-3-4, Mixed Chorus 4, Pep Club 2, Y Teens 1-2-3-4, Y Teens Cabinet 4, Class Play DARWIN WIRTH "Darby" Baseball 1, Basketball 1, Hi Y 2-3-4, FFA 1-2-3-4, Class President 1. Glee Club 3, Volcano 4, FFA Officer 2-34. DOROTHY HILL "Dode" Glee Club 1, Y Teens 1-2-34, Librarian 3-4. FRANCIS WEAVER "Frannie" Hi Y 3-4, Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Chorus President 4, Madrigal 3, Quartette 2-3-4, Pep Band 2-3-4, Concert & Marching Band 2-3-4, Glee Club 1-2-3. JANICE FAST "Speedy" Y Teens 1-2-3-4. Glee Club 1. Basketball 4. GILBERT WESTOVER "Gib" Basketball 1-2-3-4, Football 2-3-4, Hi Y 2-3-4, Hi Y Officer 4. DORIS WINTER "Dorie" Y Teens 1-2-3-4, Glee Club 3, Cheerleader 3-4, Concert & Marching Band 2, Basketball 4. YR1948PG010 CLETA CARLSON Y Teens 1-2-3-4. Y Teen Cabinet 4. BILL WILLS "Willie Bilis" Football 1-2-3-4, basketball 1-2-3, track 1-2-3. CAROLYN STUELKE Mixed Chorus 2-3-4, Glee Club 2-3-4, Trio 4, Sextette 4, Concert & Marching Bands 2-3-4, Clarinette trio 3-4, Basketball 1-4, Y Teens 2-3-4, Madrigal 3, Pep Club 2, Class Play 3. BILL CUNNINGHAM "Slim" Basketball 1-2. Baseball 1-2. MARY JO VERNON Marching & Concert Bands 2-3-4, Clarinet Trio 3-4, Pep Band 2-3-4, Y Teens 1-2-34, Y Teen Cabinet 4, Pep Club 2, Volcano 1-2-3-4, Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4. Glee Club 1-2-3-4, Class Play 3, Basketball 4. RICHARD FASTENAU "Itch"

Basketball 1-2, Track 1-2, Hi Y 3-4, Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Hi Y Cabinet 4, Cheerleader 2-3-4, Madrigal 3, Glee

Club 1-2, Projectionist Club 4.

MELBA CHRISMAN

"Chris"

Glee Club 1, Y Teens 1-2-34, Y Teen Cabinet 4, Librarian 2-3-4, Volcano 2-3-4. HERB BASHAW "Herbie" Football 1-2-3-4, Track 1-23, Basketball 2-3, FFA 1-2, Hi Y 3-4. LOIS NEAL "Pee Wee" Y Teens 1-2-3-4. WILLARD ANDREW "Andy" FFA 1-2-3-4, Hi Y 2-3-4 Track 3, Class Play 3, FFA Scholarship Chairman 4. YR1948PG011 HENRY KERNEN JR. "Junie" Mixed Chorus 1, Glee Club 1, FFA 1-2-3-4, FFA Officer 2-3-4, Hi Y 3-4, Track 1-2-3, Basketball 1. "Dixie" Y Teens 1-2-3-4, Cabinet 4, Glee Club 3, Librarian 2-34, Class Officer 3-4, Volcano 3-4. JAMES CARTWRIGHT "Jim" FFA 1-2-3-4, Hi Y 3-4. BETTY FINKLE "Fink" Girls Glee 1-2, Y Teens 12-3-4. **EVERETT ACKERMAN** "Icky" Hi Y 2-3-4, FFA 1-2-3-4. **CHATHAM ANDERSON** "Cuddles" Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Sextette 2, Glee Club 1-2-3-4, Volcano 1-2-3-4, Y Teens 1-2-3-4, Y Teen Cabinet 4, Editor of Annual 4, Class Play 3, Madrigal 3. **RAYMOND FRIST** "Ray" concert Band 4, Marching Band 2-3-4, Track 1, Class Play 3, FFA 1-2-3-4, FFA basketball 4. HELEN ROCKWELL "Rocky" Glee Club 1-2-3-4. Mixed Chorus 2-3-4. Pep Club 2. Y Teens 1-2-3-4. Y Teen Officer 4. Class Officer 3. Volcano 2-3-4, Editor 4, Class Play 3, Cabinet 3-4, Homecoming 4. HAROLD GEYER "Hal" Football 1-2-3-4, FFA 1-2, Basketball 1, Track 1-2, Basketball Manager 4, Hi Y 4, Hi Y Cabinet 4, Class Officer 4. JEANETTE ARBUCKLE "Buckle"

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LOIS JEAN COONEY Y Teens 1-2-3-4.

Y Teens 1-2-3-4, Class Play 3.

MARVIN FOCHT

Football manager 3-4, Basketball 1-2-4, B. B. Manager

3, Track 1-2-4, Track Manager 3, FFA 1-2-3-4, Hi Y 3-4.

LEATRICE DANIELSON "Lea"

Y Teen 1-2-3-4, Y Teen Cabinet 4, Class Officer 3, Cheerleader 2-3-4. Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Sextette 3-

4, Trio 4, Glee Club 1-2-3-4, Chorus Secretary 4, Madrigal 3, Volcano 1-2-3-4, Class Play 3.

CLARK SCHAFFER

"Orv"

FFA 1-2-3-4, Football 1.

RUTH NEAL

"Ruthy"

Y Teens 1-2-3-4.

HAROLD MAINS

"Birdie"

Football 1, Basketball 1-2, Track 1, Hi Y 3-4, Hi Y Officers 4, Volcano 3-4, Editor 4, Class Officer 4, Glee Club 1,

Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4.

MARJORIE FISHER

"Midge"

Glee Club 1-2, Y Teens 1-23-4, Volcano 3-4.

CARL PETERSON

"Pete"

Football 1-2-3-4, Track 1, Basketball 1-2, Hi Y 4, Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Glee Club 1, Class Play 3, Class Officer 4.

MARY BAKER

"Bake"

Y Teens 1-2-3-4. Glee Club 2.

**BOB SCOTT** 

"Scottie"

Football 1-2-3-4, Track 1-2, B. B. Manager 1, Hi Y 3-4, Hi Y Officer 4, Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Quartette 2. Madrigal 3, Band 2-3-4, Pep Band 1-2-3-4, Glee Club 1-2-3, Class Play 3, Volcano 4, Projectionist Club 4.

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FRANK FROYD

Football 1-2-3-4, Track 1, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4, Quartette 2-3-4, Glee Club 1-2-3, Madrigal 3, Class Officer 3, Hi Y 2-3-4, Hi Y Cabinet 3-4.

ARLENE BEAVERS

Y Teens 1-2-3-4, Glee Club 2-3, Basketball 4.

f Teens 1-2-3-4, Glee Club 2

KENNETH MOORE

"Kenny Wayne"

Football 1-2-3-4, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Track 3, FFA 1-2-3, Hi Y 4, Glee Club 2.

**RUBY THOMAS** 

"Tommy"

Y Teens 1-2-3-4, Glee Club 1-3, Y Teen Cabinet 3-4, Basketball 4, Volcano 4.

**RUTH LEWIS** 

"Ruthy"

Y Teens 1-2-3-4, Library 3-4, Volcano 1-2-3-4.

WAYNE KERR

"Hopalong"

Football 1-2, Basketball 1-2, Track 1-2, Volcano 2, Hi Y 2-3-4, Hi Y Cabinet 4, FFA 1-2-3, FFA Officer 3, Class Play

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RACHELLE POGUE

"Pogie"

Basketball 1-2-4, Band 1, Glee Club 1-3-4, Mixed Chorus 3-4, Madrigal 3, Y Teens 3-4, Y Teen Cabinet 4, Volcano 3-4, Class Play 3 Class Officer 2.

DON GAREY

"Skinner"

Hi Y 3, Glee Club 1, Football 1, Basketball 2.

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Class History

In the fall of 1944, 62 green and glowing freshmen entered V. H. S. Rural students entering the class were: Everett Ackerman, Chatham Anderson, Willard Andrew, Arlene Beavers, Herb Bashaw, Mary Baker, Cleta Carlson, Melba Chrisman, Joe Copelin, Janice Fast, Marvin Focht, Harold Geyer, Dorothy Hill, Janice Jackson, Henry Kernen, Wayne Kerr, Dixie Larson, Bonnie Firkins, Dale Briggs, Delores Cork, Glen Givan, Rex Givan, Dean Kuhn, Kenny Moore, Anna Marie Rhamy, Helen Rockwell, Clark Shaffer, Ruby Thomas, Doris Winter, Oliver Murren, Jean Osborn, Betty Ritnour, Harry Rubin, Kenneth Shepherd, John Shipley, Rudy Titsworth, and Eldon White.

All of the new students became acquainted at the recreation center in the Odd Fellow's Hall.

The first big event of the year was the Atlantic Music Festival held in Atlantic. Eleven freshmen were in the mixed chorus, which rode to Atlantic in Marsh's semi-trailer that cold November morning. They stayed at the Cardio Hotel and turned the place into an uproar in no time.

Another big event of the year was the leap year party, a girl-ask-boyaffair, you know.

Four new students joined the class in our sophomore year; Carolyn Stuelke, Darwin Wirth, Eldon Hendrickson, and Larry Gustafson.

The junior class of '47 was organized with Frank Froyd as president, Helen Rockwell, Vice-president, Dixie Larson, Secretary, and Lea Danielson as treasurer. Everybody worked by turns at the coke stand at the basketball games, and the class play, If This Be Bliss was given under the direction of Mrs. Whitmore. These two activities provided money for the Junior-Senior Banquet, at which the Juniors were hosts. The theme was Dutch, and a banquet for 125 was held in the Methodist church. Rachel Pogue entered the Villisca High School in the fall of 1946 having taken her first two years at Grant school.

This year the class became seniors and have held responsibilities in activities, and have made a good name in athletics. This year's class officers are: Harold Mains, President, Harold Geyer, Vice-president, Carl Peterson, Treasurer, and Dixie Larson, Secretary, and class sponsors are Mr. Spicknall and Mr. Dye.

So ends our high school history, but we're hoping it's not the last history we'll make. We now leave it to the Juniors and underclassmen to keep history alive in V. H. S.

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Class Will of '48

We, the Senior Class of 1948, being sound of mind (?) and body, do hereby bequeath the following to the very lucky, lucky under classmen.

Everett Ackerman wills his boisterous personality to that quiet little fellow, Richard Hart.

Chatham Anderson reluctantly gives her speaking ability to Mildred Waterman. Make good use of it, Mildred, Chatham did

Larry Gustafson leaves his camera outfit to David Penwell—can't you see it all now?

Willard Andrew wills his warbling ability to Buck Darnold and John Murren—hope you guys don't run Bing out of business.

Mary Jo Vernon proudly presents her way with Mr. Hentsch to Mary Jane Forsythe.

Jeanette Arbuckle and Helen Rockwell very regretfully give up their attraction to older men to Jeannie Taylor and Tiny Still, don't abuse the privilege, girls.

Rachelle Pogue bequeaths her No. 11 basketball suit to Jini Froyd. Take good care of it. Rachelle prizes it highly.

Doris Winter surrenders her quiet, solitary hermitage to Meri Hill. And remember the old, reliable Winter motto, Meri, "No visitors allowed."

Jimmie Cartwright wills his calm, cool disposition to Merrill Nisely. Not that you need it, Merrill.

Anna Marie Rhamy and Darwin Wirth give their exciting love affair to Betty Rhamy and Delmar Wirth. Best to keep things in the family.

Kenny Moore, wills his curly black hair to Mary Lou Still. He says she has half of it anyway.

Francis Weaver sadly leaves his driving ability to Paul Poston. That means you're an excellent motorman now,

Joe Copelin leaves his position in Co. F. to Lawrence Hoyt.

Ruth Lewis wills her A's to Russell Loghry. Of course, you'll have to study a little, Russ.

Lois Neal wills her quiet, likable way to Ruth Hewitt. Put it to good use. Betty Finkle leaves her ticket-selling ability to her sister Barbara Finkle.

Now that she's out of Y-Teens, Betty doesn't think she'll have much use for it. Carolyn Stuelke wills her nickname to Lucille "Pug" Morehouse. It's a

great honor so live up to it, Lucille.

Harold Geyer wills his love for wrestling to Art Anderson. Be careful, Gwen.

Harold Mains leaves his executive ability to Bob Marsh. Don't spend too much time or money using it, though, Rob

Ruby Thomas gives her numerous trips to Red Oak to Jenny Roberts. You are to take up where Ruby left off, Jenny.

Bob Scott and Richard Fastenau bequeath their job of changing the canopy at the Rialto to Corliss Graham and Mary Jane Waage.

Lois Jean Craney wishes to will her giggle to Mary Lonire. Lois Jean can now give a sigh of relief.

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Class Will -- cont.

Merrill Nisely now owns all of the 31 Chevy because Bill Wills decided to give it away before it falls apart. Gilbert Westover leaves his pool abilities to Dean Morehouse.

Dixie Larson wills her blondness and height to Betty Else. Don't be surprised if you are called "Blondie", Betty. Arlene Beavers proudly presents her set of freckles to Bob Taylor, just in case he ever runs a little low.

Ruth Neal leaves her love for books to Bennie Gage—of course we all know Bennie doesn't need this.

Wayne Kerr leaves his knack of always having his lessons in on time to Keith Moore. Those A's will come in mighty handy. Keith.

Herb Bashaw wills his guard position on the football team to Kenneth Oltman.

Bill Cunningham bequeaths his knack of going steady to John Focht.

Carl Peterson wills his ability to get A's without studying to Leo Gourley. Dorothy Hill leaves her height to Gwen Baker. She's catching up with you.

Art.

Janice Fast presents her love for Stanton to Alfreda Karle. Here's to more fun, Karle.

Raymond Frist wishes to will his ability to sleep in classes to Ruth Stanke. Just don't snore Ruth.

Marvin Focht leaves his art of blowing bubble gum to Norma Warner. Gosh, Norma maybe you will be champ some day.

Cleta Carlson wishes to will her job as Mr. Spicknall's secretary to Herb Phillis. (Take a letter, please, Herbert.) Frank Froyd leaves his black bow tie and striped overalls to Mr. Vernon. Leatrice Danielson bequeaths her sweaters to Marilyn Tyler. And do be careful with them, won't you, Marilyn.

Marjorie Fisher gladly leaves her willowy figure to Joanne King.

Melba Chrisman is at last giving up her slender out-look on life to Bill Perkins. Now you can send back the DuBarry Success Course, Bill.

Clark Schaffer wills his muscles to Jerry Ziehe. Don't use them too extensively, you musclebound character.

Janice Jackson is leaving her economic and government workbooks to Phillis Halbert. Lucky kid.

Don Garey is willing his hansome profile to Carl Finkle. Some people get all the breaks.

Mary Baker presents her poetic ability to Roy Kraack. The purpose is to help you out with your romantic intentions, Roy.

And last but far from the least, Henry Kernen bequeaths his calm, authoritative manner to Darwin Kendrick. In leaving all our most prized possessions behind, we leave our high standards to the future seniors. May the fine examples we have set be an asset to each of you.

We have on this given our sign and hand in the writ-

ing of this document, and hereby claim it to be our will.

#### YR1948PG017

Class Prophecy

We, the notorious seniors (who should have been notable,) of the class of '48 do hereby gaze back through the years to let you know what happened to our honorable classmates.

I suppose all of you remember Janice Jackson, the gal who started out to be a nurse? You'll find her still living with her parents and wondering if Howard will ever pop that question.

You remembered how Chatham and Harold M. were inseparable? Well, Chatham and Frannie have been married for 18 long years, and G-I-R-L-S, Birdie is still an eligible bachelor, who is famous all over the world for his sky-blue-pink, no wrinkle, no soil, no bind neck-ties, manufactured in the old chicken house in his back vard.

Dixie Larson, as you know was quite popular in school has purchased a small house near the edge of Clarinda (north edge) and is very happy with the padded walls. She doesn't know others live on the estate.

Gib Westover who was always chasing Leatrice, finally captured her beauty and they're happily married with seven children. By the way, they live in Chicago on a small estate in the sub-way.

Bill Wills, has driven his thirty-three Chevrolet from one end of the United States to the other four times now, looking for his long lost love.

Kenneth Moore thought he'd found his mate back in '48, but later on he discovered that Ruth Lewis was really the one he cared for. They are living in Oregon with their two daughters.

Rachelle Pogue has just filed suit for her fifth divorce. She's hoping it will be granted for her latest love is Gregory Peck.

We always thought Anna Maria would marry Darwin Wirth, but we see that she is enjoying her tenth anniversary in Washington with her husband Clark Schaffer who is a congressman from Iowa. By the way Darwin is the mayor of Nodaway.

And now we gaze upon the newly weds Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kerr, the Mrs. Kerr formerly known as Mary Jo Vernon. They are living on a farm on the outskirts of Morton Mills.

Doris Winters whose ambition was to be a secretary is working in the "Woodman of the World Building" but not as a secretary. She is scrubbing floors to support her family and husband who is Frank Froyd.

The song and dance girl "Torchy Finkle" better known as Betty Lou Finkle, is now warbling in the most glittering of night clubs in Tenville.

Midge Fisher the successful secretary finally popped the question to the famous Pro-football player Herb Bashaw who blushingly accepted.

Henry Kernen has become a successful farmer and has just built his thirteenth silo, it's a hobby we understand. With the former Lois Jean Cooney as his wife, they're very happy.

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Class Prophecy - - cont.

Cleta Joy Carlson is happily married to Larry Gustafson because Harold beat her up once too often. She took it seriously and left him flat. Harold is not discouraged however. He has lately been seen with the Democrat's best politician, Jeanette Arbuckle.

The Madams Ruby Thomas and Carolyn Stuelke are sponsoring their fifteenth style show in their little shoppe in Red Oak.

Melba Chrisman and her fiance after these last twenty years of courtship are finally ready to be married. Her father gave her permission.

Professor Arlene M. Beavers is now teaching at Harvard. She and Professor Carl Peterson are engaged. Dorthy Hill and Jimmie Cartwright are known to the world as the "Song and Dance Team of the Barnum & Bailey Circus."

The producer, Richard Fastenau, has just finished his thirty-fifth movie. His wife is the former Janice Fast. The present president of the Villisca lumberyard is Bob Scott. His work is done efficiently by Mary Baker his secretary.

Ruth Neal is the first lady Governor of Iowa. Her campaign manager was Joe Copelin, the famous political speaker. No wonder she is now the first lady of Iowa.

The law firm of Ackerman & Andrew of Villisca have just won their thirteenth divorce case.

Bill Cunningham is known as "Bill the Butcher." He is employed at the Villisca meat market cutting ham.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Focht are known as the "Hillbilly Songbirds of KMA." Mrs. Focht is the former Lois Neal.

Reverend Garey has returned from Africa where he is busy as a missionary teaching the natives "Bonga, Bonga, Bonga do not leave the Congo."

Superintendent Raymond Frist of Villisca Public Schools has finally married. The lucky one was the former Helen Rockwell.

The class of '48 have certainly been busy these last twenty years.

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Out Class Poem

At the head of our class, may we present—

Kenny, Frank, and Gib, who were heaven-sent.

Focht and Kerr, were also on the team,

Always in there pitching and on the beam.

If you're looking for pep, vim, vigor and glee,

Just see our cheerleaders, Itch, Dorie and Lea.

Down in Miss Anderson's room, there's Frannie, Harold and Bob,

Three guys who really like to croon, and do a darn good job.

Janice, Pug, and Helen, three musical misses,

We like their singing, but some like their kisses.

If it's political office you are seeking,

Just ask Jeanette to do your speaking.

Chatham and Carl rank high in this line-

They get A's in their studies, (you oughta see mine!)

Cleta and Harold, Darwin and Ann,

Two classy couples you are really grand.

If you're looking for friends, if you're looking for pals,

Just see Mary and Arlene, a couple of swell gals.

Janice and Dixie are quite a pair—

Wherever there's trouble you'll find them there.

Herb and Larry really get around-

If you don't believe me—ask any girl in town.

Always together are they, they're tops in play and in learnin',

You'll recognize their names, 'cause it's no one but Pogue and Vernon.

Jim Cartwright and Everett, a couple of good guys,

They don't go with girls—which shows they're wise.

Joe Copelin and Garey, a couple of guys with height, They work a little and loaf with all their might. Marjorie and Dorothy are also pretty tall— They're quiet and sweet and never gripe at all. Willard and Clark, two ambitious souls, They skinned through school, graduation their goal. Now there's Ruby and Lois, inseperable pals, Though they're both kinda quiet, they're two swell gals. If you feel like laughing or having fun, Melba, Betty, and Lois Jean are the ones. Who will cheer you along life's way And add to the brightness of any old day. Now there's Bill and Bill (no, we don't stutter) Cunningham's one and Wills is the other. Now there's Ruth and Ruth (here we go again!) If someone doesn't stop us we'll do this to the end. Last but not least, we have Henry and Ray, Henry's a swell guy and Ray's also 0. K.

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School life

1-Three Muskateers 2-The morning after 3-Totem Pole 4-W.P.A. Workday 5-Baby Willard 6-Relax, take it easy 7-Your slip is showing 8-We print it—you name it. 9-Bang, I gottcha 10-Cheesecake 11-Aren't they sweet 12-Still, Wintertime 13-Isn't Love Grand 14-Two li'l gals.

#### YR1948PG021

Cicero Shakespeare Scott Dickens Study American History Geometry Underclassmen

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juniors

BACK ROW: Carlson, Shrimpton, Forsythe, Conney, Phillis, Starlin, Weil, Waga-

man, DeLaney, Danielson, Smith, Northup, Gourley, Focht, King, Danielson, Still.

MIDDLE ROW: Lindberg, Miller, Tyler, Larson, Taylor, Clark, Kraack, Neal, Nisely, Jackson.

FRONT ROW: Hill, Anderson, Johnson, Harris, Brown, Freeman, McCoy, Still, Karle, Goodman, Halbert, Embree, Enarson, Maxwell, Anderson, Finkle.

The junior class started the year with Betty Harris and Roy Kraack beginning their first year at VHS, this boosting the class to fifty-one members. Later in the year, Delbert Wilcoxon enrolled making the enrollment fifty-two, and fortunately none have left us.

There are thirteen junior boys in Hi-Y, and twenty-nine girls in Y-Teens. Junior boys that were elected officers of the Hi-Y for next year are, president, Bob Eatts, vice president, Tom Goodman, Secretary, Leo Gourley, treasurer Carol Embree, and chaplain, David Williams. David was also elected president of the SW Iowa Hi-Y Council. The girls that will be officers in Y-Teen next year are president Alfreda Karle, and vice president Jean Taylor. The class officers are president Tom Goodman, vice president Alfreda Karle, and secretary-treasurer Phyllis Halbert.

In sports the junior class did exceedingly well, in football six junior boys lettered, they were Leonard Danielson, Jess DeLaney, Bob Marsh, Merrill Nisely, Tom Goodman, and Jim Neal. Four of the junior boys lettered in basketball, they were Tom Goodman, Merrill Nisely, Roy Kraack, and Bob Marsh. The junior girls also took an active part in sports, many of them playing on the newly organized basketball team.

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### Sophomores

FIRST ROW: Schaffer, Corbin, Brown, Hensel, Schaver, Cordes, Day, Andrew, Woodward, Froyd, Roberts, Else, Hart, Oltman, Focht. Second Row: Fisher, Anderson, Hampel, Lee, Chalmers, Enarson, Case, Stahnke, Murphy, Retland, Nisely, Sierp, Bauer, Baker, Bryson, Morehouse. Third Row: Stickler, Gustafson, Poston, Bergren, Lehman, Starlin, Lorenz, Ziche, Kendrick, Darnold, Miller, Gage, Shephard, Elswick, Perkins, Moore, Cartwright. The Sophomore class got off to a good start this year with forty-seven

members. We have gained and lost several, but at the present time the grand total is forty-nine. Quite a number of our members are participating in the various activities of the school. The F.F.A. has twelve sophmore members, Y-Teens have 24, Hi-Y has nine, and 18 boys and girls are in basketball. Seven of the sophomore boys went out for football, two obtained minor letters, and four were eligible for major letters. Veva Nisely and Marcia were chosen by the school to be cheerleaders next year.

The class officers are: president, Bennie Gage; vice-president, Darwin

Kendrick; and secretary-treasurer, Veva Nisely. Class sponsors are Miss Rusk and Mrs. Whitmore. The sophomore class party took place February 13 in the school gym, which was decorated with crepe paper streamers and colored lights. Entertainment consisted of dancing and group games. Refreshments were served in the middle of the evening.

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#### Freshmen

Back row: Gage, Finkle, Stevenson, Hoyt, Hill, Crouse, Bauer, Cain, Wirth, Mauderly, Loghry, Murren. Third row: Penwell, Smith, Else, Wright, Fisher, Gardner, Patterson, Burns, Kelly, Hensel, Roberts, Larson, Lowenberg. Second row: Hewitt, Scott, Mattingly, Brenton, Silvius, Stanke, Hill, Rhamy, Henson, Waage, Graham, Hayes, Selby. Front row: Belding, Embree, Waterman, Ackerman, Bosteder.

Forty-five ambitious but timid students started their high school career last September. Bill Scott joined the class later in the year while Jeanine Hayes, Claude Stevenson, Wendell Kelly, and Lois and Louis Hill left. The freshman participated in many high school activities. Six of the students were in the band, four in mixed chorus, nine boys in the F.F.A. Chapter, and all of the girls joined the Y-Teen club. Most of the boys took part in the Hi-Y program.

There were five boys who earned "B" squad letter in football. Charles Crouse, who broke his wrist during the season, was elected honorary captain at the homecoming game. Ted Bauer was manager for basketball and football and earned a varsity letter.

The class officers for the year were: president Charles Crouse; vice-president, David Penwell; secretary-treasurer, Delmar Wirth.

The freshman party was held February 27, 1948 in the gym. It was brightly decorated with blue and yellow paper and colored lights. There was a program, games, eats, and dancing. Everyone had a wonderful time. The sponsors were Miss Gardner and Mr. Smith.

### YR1948PG025

Activities

#### YR1948PG026

School Life

1. Buddies 2. Merely Freshman 3. All Smiles 4. Familiar, eh? 5. Something Funny 6. How's K. C.? 7. What a Pose 8. Our Gang 9.Steppin' High 10. Oh. oh. 11. Singin' in The Bath Tub. 12. Just Happy. 13. The Hunters. 14. More Fun. 15. Not Quite Ready. 16. Wide Open. 17. Oh My!!

#### YR1948PG027

Y-Teen Officers
HELEN ROCKWELL
President
CAROLYN STUELKE Vice President
ANNA MARIE RHAMY Treasurer
ALFREDA KARLE Secretary
MRS. JANICE FOCHT Co-Sponsor
MISS EDITH RUSK Co-Sponsor

#### YR1948PG028

Girl Reserves

The annual Y-Teen Gypsy Patteran was held on Thursday evening, September 11, 1947. The gaily dressed gypsies in their costumes met in the high school assembly. Singing was held, then the Romany Trail was followed throughout the business district and back through the halls of the high school.

The annual father-daughter mixer, served in banquet style, Was held Thursday, October 23, at 7 P. M. in the basement of the Methodist church. An excellent supper was prepared and served by the women's council, the girls of the club donating the food. A very enjoyable program was given, closing the evening with groups singing.

A Christmas party for the Y-Teens was held on December 11, in the gym. A large circle was formed by the girls bringing gifts for the grabbag. Music was played and the gifts were passed around the circle. When the music stopped, each girl kept the gift she had in her hand.

The annual Christmas party for the kiddies from the Lincoln building was held Friday December 19, in the high school gym. Toys or clothing were given to over twenty-five needy youngsters. The girls then played games with them and afterwards assisted them home with their gifts.

On Friday night, February 13, the Y-Teens sponsored a Valentine dance after the game between Villisca and Shenandoah. Gib Westover was crowned Valentine King, his attendants being Kenny Moore and Francis Weaver. The evening was spent together with dancing, playing cards, and enjoying refreshments.

A joint Y-Teen meeting was held in the assembly February 26.

the purpose being to discuss boy and girl relationship. The groups discussion was led by John Bell. Pamphlets were handed out with hints for discussion and many different oppinions were expressed on dating, etiquette, how late to stay out, kissing, etc.

The Y-Teens have adopted a little Italian girl, Anna Maria. They have set aside funds for her adoption, one class in the high school sends her a box of either food or clothing each month. Also the club is sending her money with which her expenses will be paid.

The Y-Teens finished a very successful year; their last important job was the sale of Firemen's Ball Tickets. Another successful year is planned for next also with the installation of new officers as the last meeting of the year, In that same meeting, the Seniors were given a farewell party.

### YR1948PG029

Y-Teen Cabinet Y-Teen Club

#### YR1948PG030

Hi-Y Officers
DARWIN WIRTH V. President
BOB SCOTT President
HAROLD MAINS
Secretary
GILBERT WESTOVER

Treasurer
BOB WATTS Chaplain
H. J. SPICKNALL Advisor

#### YR1948PG031

Hi-Y

The Villisca Hi-y club has had a very successful and enjoyable year.

The club has been very active under the counsel of Mr. Spicknall. The officers are:

President Bob Scott
Vice-President Darwin Wirth
Secretary Harold Mains
Treasurer Gilbert Westover
Chaplain Bob Watts

The agenda of activities sponsored by the club included speakers, movies, including two serials shown to the student body, the home-coming dance, reports from boys who attended District meeting, panel discussions, selling cokes at basketball games, and sponsoring an all-school carol sing. Several members attended the Southwest lowa District meeting at Council Bluffs.

This organization is a member of the district and area Y.M.C.A. The Villisca club held one office in the Southwest Iowa Hi-Y District Council, Darwin Wirth, who was secretary.

### YR1948PG032

Homecoming

The annual homecoming celebration of the Villisca High School was held on October 17, 1947. The Queen, Helen Rockwell, and her six attendants, Ruby Thomas, Dixie Larson, Cleta Carlson, Doris Winter, Janice Fast, and Lois Neal. were the honored seven.

The coronation was performed preceding the game with the Shenandoah Mustangs. As the marching band played the school song "Loyal and True", the queen and attendents were escorted onto the football field by the eight senior football boys. Harold Geyer and Herb Bashaw, the co-captain for the evening, then crowned the queen, and presented her with a beautiful bouquet of red roses. Following the coronation they were escorted from the field and reigned over the game.

After the game everyone went to the Armory, where the homecoming dance was held. Here the queen and attendents again met their escorts, and were ushered to the queen's throne. The queen was again crowned and she and her attendants were presented with gifts from the Hi-Y.

The Hi-Y sponsored the dance and they had Monte Carlos' Orchestra to furnish the dance music.

### YR1948PG033

Nine issues of the school paper, the Volcano, were put out during 1947 and 1948. There are thirty-three students on the staff. Helen Rockwell served as editor-in-chief the first semester and held the position of coeditor with Harold Mains the second semester. Marilyn Tyler was chosen as assistant editor for the last semester.

Besides putting out the paper, the Volcano staff sold programs at all the home basketball games.

The staff's only social event was party held on the evening of April 6. The A squad of the basketball team were the honor guests. This party, which include dancing, a short program, and refreshments, was held in the high school gym.

Miss Lila Gardner and Miss Betty Stroeber were the sponsors.

VOLCANO

THE EDITORS

Marilyn Tyler, assistant, Harold Mains and Helen Rockwell, co-editors

#### YR1948PG034

PUBLICATIONS VOLCANO STAFF

#### YR1948PG035

Pep Club

This year the cheerleaders were sponsored by Mrs. Arlouine Whitmore. The members of the squad were Eugene Northup, Richard Fastenau, Mary Lou Still, Doris Winter, Jeannie Taylor, and Leatrice Danielson. At the end of the first semester the student body elected three new members for the next year. They served as second-team cheerleaders for the basketball season this year. The three new members are Veva Nisely, Mary Jane Waage, and Marcia Woodward

Junior Class Play Cast

The junior class play this year was called "Boys About Bobette." Mary Lou Still played the role of Bobette, a high school girl with tomboyish inclinations, who constantly made trouble for her father and mother, played by Jay Clark and Betty Harris. Eugene Northup, Roy Kraack, and David Williams enacted the parts of Shammyneck, Pief ace, and Socko, the three boys which took part in Bobette's escapades. The play also featured a style show in which a number of the junior girls took part.

#### YR1948PG036

Library

The Library functions as a service to the students and faculty. There are twenty-two members, all of whom work in the library except the honorary members who have served their four semesters. Miss Gardner is the advisor. The officers for this year were Anna Marie Rhamy, president; Ruth Lewis, secretary; Dixie Larson, social chairman.

Several meetings were held in the form of suppers, or after school to discuss problems arising concerning the operation of the library.

Projectionists Club

The Projectionist's Club was organized at the first of the school year to train boys to operate the schools' projector and take care of the many films that come into Villisca High School.

The club consists of six boys, the sophmore, junior, and senior classes each having two members. Each year at the end of the school year, there will be an election between the six old members to select two boys from the Freshman class to be in the club for the succeeding year.

# YR1948PG037

#### Vocal Music

One of the most outstanding programs presented by the vocal music department was that given at the cooking school. Several numbers were done by the chorus, girls' ensemble, and small groups.

The mixed chorus attended the music festival in Atlantic, which was a one-day festival under the direction of Dr. Harry R. Wilson.

Eight of the music students went to Des Moines to attend the All-State choir during January 2nd and 3rd. The choir consisted of 800 voices and was under the direction of Stanford Hulshizer.

The mixed chorus presented a Christmas program on December 18. They sang a number of songs from the various stages of history, beginning with an early Latin number and ending with a popular Christmas carol of today.

THE MIXED CHORUS

#### YR1948PG038

**Boys Quartette** 

The boy's quartette this year is composed of Frank Froyd, bass, John Focht, baritone, and Tom Goodman and Francis Weaver, tenors. Their numbers being old favorites and Negro spirituals, the boys have been welcomed wherever they have performed.

Girls Ensemble

The Girls' Ensemble has taken the place of the Girls' Glee Culb this

year. The girls are all members of the mixed chorus. The have sung mostly light semi-classical music which is a favorite with everyone.

#### YR1948PG039

Sextette & Trio

The Sextette is composed of Leatrice Danielson, Virginia Froyd, Marcia Woodward, Carolyn Shephard, Carolyn Stuelke, and Mary Lou Still. They made several appearances this year. Some of the numbers they sang were, "Oh, Lord of Heaven," "God So Loved the World," "Were You There," and "In an Old Fashioned Garden." Leatrice Danielson, Carolyn Stuelke, and Carolyn Shepard were the members of the trio this year. They were a very popular factor of any program, and made many such appearances. Some of the best numbers were "Smilin' Through", "Moonglow", "Dina" "Snowflakes", and "The Blue Swan".

### YR1948PG040

THE CONCERT BAND

The marching band, consisting of forty-five members, has been quiet active the past year. The band attended an all-southwest lowa band festival at Audubon and also marched at Nodaway and Clarinda at their annual celebrations.

At the football games, the marching band put on exhibitions with the lights of the field turned off. The band members had lights on their hats and the majorette carried a lighted baton. One of the prettiest formations was the shape of a ship which was formed and then moved across the field.

The Concert Band, consisting of forty students also directed by Mr. Hentsch. They gave two concerts this year. The winter concert was given December 11, and the spring concert was given March 30. They were both held in the armory, and large crowds attended.

The pep band, with 13 members was organized to play at pep assemblies. They specialized in fast-tempo numbers and marches.

### YR1948PG041

Marching Band

Pep Band

#### YR1948PG042

BAND

SMALL GROUPS

Marcia Woodward and Mary Jo Vernon were chosen to play in the All-State band. They first had to audition for the position in competition with many other southwest Iowa musicians.

Beginning Band consists of eighteen members who are just starting their band careers. They are getting their basic training so they can be a part of the regular band. As they increase their knowledge in music, they enter the Concert Band, and some of them show talent enough to work up solos, duets, and quartettes.

Carolyn Shepherd has ventured out in her work with piano solos, and she has played duets with Marcia Woodward. Harvey Cain plays a solo in the cornet section, and Marcia Woodward plays baritone saxophone solos. Veva Nisely and Carolyn Anderson play alto saxophone solos.

The three of them, Veva Nisely, Carolyn Anderson, and Marcia Woodward, along with Carolyn Shepherd, have formed a saxophone quartette. We are proud of these groups and appreciate the efforts that they put forth to accomplish this work.

#### YR1948PG043

Clarinet Trio

Marilyn Danielson, Carolyn Stuelke, Mary Jo Vernon

Saxophone Quartette

Marcia Woodward, Veva Nisely, Carolyn Anderson, Carolyn Shepherd

#### YR1948PG044

**Future Farmers of America** 

The FFA Chapter in Villisca High School is very strong organization which has carried on an extensive program of good work in the school. Each year they have a father and son banquet as one of their most important social functions. The boys have a very good basketball team which has played quite a few games this year.

#### YR1948PG045

Girls Athletic Association

For the first time in many years the Villisca High School now boasts a girl's basketball team. A group of twenty-four girls under the coaching of Mrs. Arlouine Whitmore made up this year's squad.

Those seeing action during the season were:

Forwards:

Rachelle Pogue, Doris Winter, Norma Jean Miller, and Carolyn Stuelke.

Guards:

 $Betty\ Harris,\ Joyce\ Enarson,\ Barbara\ Enarson,\ Alice\ Chalmers,\ Marilyn$ 

Tyler and Alfreda Karle.

Others who were on the squad were:-

Forwards:

 $\label{thm:continuous} \textit{Veva Nisely, Pat Sierp, Ellen Selby, Betty Fisher, Marcia Woodward,} \\$ 

Janice Fast, Ruby Thomas, and Arlene Beavers.

Guards

Alyce Cordes, Mary Jo Vernon, Delores Murphy, Mary Jane Forsythe,

Virginia Froyd, and Anna Brown.

Due to the fact the team was not started until mid-season the girls were only able to play a few games before the season closed.

Jan. 27 Villisca 22 Nodaway 18
Feb. 3 Villisca 24 Emerson 48
Feb. 10 Villisca 22 Nodaway 18
Feb. 17 Villisca 26 Coburg

### YR1948PG046

ATHLETICS

The Villisca Bluejays opened their season by winning from Corning by a score of 7-6. Then the squad traveled to Atlantic, where they were beaten by the Trojans, 32-12. In a non-conference game with Lenox, the Bluejays were struck down by a score of 6-0. In the following game with Creston, the Panthers and the Bluejays broke even with a 6 all tie. The boys in blue were the underdogs in the Orient vs. Villisca game, Orient getting the glory of a 6-12 score. Shenandoah battled the Bluejays for a 14-0 win, but the Mustangs were given a tough game by the Bluejays on Homecoming night. Red Oak ran over Villisca on the Tigers field with a final score of 31-0 for the Red Oak squad. The Bluejays ran wild in a non-conference game with Griswold, they won by a 38-24 score on Griswold's field. In the final game of the season, the Jays came up with a winning score 7-0 over Clarinda, on Villisca's home field. The Villisca squad surprised many people when they took their place in the

conference as a fighting squad. -PLAYERS-Gib Westover Senior Merrill Nisely Junior Bill Wills Senior Bob Marsh Junior Herb Bashaw Senior Jim Neal Junior Bob Scott Senior Jesse Delaney Junior Harold Geyer Senior Leonard Danielson Junior Carl Peterson Senior Jerry Ziehe Sophmore Kenny Moore Senior Art Anderson Sophmore Frank Froyd Senior Richard Ellswick Sophmore Junior Jim Hyde Tom Goodman Sophmore -GAMES-Opponents Where Played (they) Scored (we) Corning Home 6 12 Atlantic There 32 Lenox There 6 There 6 Creston Orient Home 12 Shenandoah Home 14 There 31 Red Oak Griswold There 24 38 Clarinda Home 0 COACH. Louis Dve ASST. COACH, Eugene Stover

#### YR1948PG047

Football

#### YR1948PG048

### Basketball

The opening game of the season with Corning started the Bluejays off on the wrong foot when Corning took home a 34-25 victory. The Bluejays journeyed to Creston to defeat the Panthers 28-26, thus winning their first conference victory. In a hard-fought game with Clarinda, the Cardinals came out on top with a victory of 28-24. Then the Bluejays lost to Atlantic on their own floor, 23-49. Villisca took another loss by 2 points when they traveled to Shen. The final score was 30-32 for the Mustangs. Red Oak suffered a 4-point loss as they played on the Villisca floor, the score being 24-28. Creston came to Villisca for a return game, to get revenge, but was again defeated as they tried to whip the Bluejays a second time. The Bluejays wouldn't stand for this. The final score, 37-27. The mighty Trojans from Atlantic were upset by the Bluejays in one of the lowest scoreing games of the season, 19-17. The powerful Mustangs from Shenandoah, leaders of the conference, was also upset by the Bluejays by a last-minute free throw by Gib Westover. The last victory for the Bluejays was a 29 to 23 lead over Red Oak, the last game of the season.

WE	THEY	
Nodaway	56	17
Corning	25	34
Bedford	38	43
Creston	28	26
Clarinda	24	27

23

49

Atlantic

College Springs		49	30
Bedford	41	39	
Shenandoah	30	32	
Red Oak	28	24	
Corning	18	22	
Creston	29	26	
Clarinda	37	27	
Atlantic	19	17	
Nodaway	34	10	
Shenandoah	24	23	
Red Oak	29	23	
TOURNAMENTS			
Corning	36	25 Sec	tional
Bedford	42	29 Sec	tional
Red Oak	26	31 Dist	rict

### YR1948PG049

A Squad B Squad

### YR1948PG050

Track

TRACK MEETS

1948

Friday April 2 Clarinda

Wed. April 7 Red Oak

Wed. April 14 Creston Relays

Tues. April 20 Triangular Corning Creston

Tues. April 27 Mustang Relays Tues. May 4 Red Oak Relays

Sat. May 8 District Meet

Friday May 14 Hawkeye Seven Meet

### YR1948PG051

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#### YR1948PG052

School Life

1. Smiles 2. Three Little Juniors 3. Plenty Tough 4. The California Girls 5. Shark 6. It Must Be Love 7. Oh, No Not This 8. Your In The Army Now 9. Third Ave. Kids 10. Aren't We Pretty 11. Hubba Hubba 12. Oh What Faces 13. Plenty Goo This. 14. Isn't He Cute? 15 The State Tournament Gang 16. Four Stacked High.

#### YR1948PG053

JUNIOR HIGH

### YR1948PG054

Seventh Grade

Back row: Selby, Silvius, Scott, Fisher, Strickland, Peterman, Mains, Harris, Marsh, Higgins, Currin. Second row: Rambo, Oltmann, Black, Williams, Patton, Christenson, Wallace, Marvick, Vernon, Kelly. Front row: Smith, Patterson. Hale, Hayes, Marvick, Noble, Emmens, Heiman, Belding, Shroeder, Northup, Westerlund. Eighth Grade

Back row: Scott, Thomas, Gage, Shephard, Wisecup, Larson, Shroeder, Archer, Enarson. Second row: Kleindenst Bontrager, Focht, Day, Kimel, McFarland, Smith, Clark, Ankeny, Hieman, Hess. Front row: Durbin, Larson, Carlson, Wagaman, McKee, Phillis, McKinley, Sanford, Johnson, Crussell, Hoyt, Weaver.

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Basketball

Junior High Chorus

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<b>BOB TAYLOR</b>	
"Red"	
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Football	3,4
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"Marj"	
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KENNETH STA	RLIN "Kenny" F. F. A. 1,4
JAMES LUND	"Sam"
F. F. A. 2,4	
BERTHA BROV	NN
Y-Teens	1,4
KENNETH OLT	MAN
"Oatmeal"	
Hi-Y 2, 4	
Choir 1,4	
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BETTY LEE	
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RUTH STAHNI	
Y-Teens	1,4
Librarian	2,4
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GAIL HAMPEL	. "Clem"
Hi-Y 1,4	
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RICHARD HART F. F. A. 1, 4 F. F. A. Officer 4 F. F. A. Basketball 1, 4 Volcano Z, 3 VELMA PE TERMAN Y- Teens 4 Joann Shaver "Jody" Y- Teens 1,4 Glee Club 1 JERRY GREENFIELD "Greenie" Hi-Y 3 Track 3 F. F. A. 3, 4 YR1950PG014 GWENDOLYN BAKER "Gwenie" Y-Teens 1,4 Choir 1,4 Glee Club 1,4 BILL PERKINS "Perk" 1,2 Choir 4 Glee Club 4 RICHARD ELSWICK "Elsie" Football 1, 4 Basketball 1, 4 Track 1,4 Baseball 3, 4 Projectors Club 3, 4 Letter Club 3, 4 Junior Class Play **GENEVIEVE ROBERTS** "Jenny" Y - Teens 2,4 CLARA HEFFLEFINGER "Clarabelle" Basketball 4 Y - Teens 4 Office Work 4 JERRY ZIEHE "Zeke" Volcano 4 Class President 1, 3 Football I, 4

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ALICE CHALMERS
"Ally Jo"
Y-Teens
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Choir 4
Glee Club
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Librarian
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Basketball
ELDON GUSTAFSON
"Gus"
Hi-Y 1,4
FFA 1,4
FFA Officer
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Basketball
             1.2.4
Track 1,2
PAUL POSTON
"Red"
Hi-Y 1.4
FFA 1,4
Junior Class Play
ALYCE CORDES
Y-Teens 1,4
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Librarians 4
Basketball 2,3
LILA BAUER "Lollipop" Y-Teens 1,4
Glee Club Sextette 3,4 Twelvetette 3,4
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BILL FISHER
"Fish"
Hi-Y 1,4
Football
Basketball
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Letter Club
Choir 2
Glee Club
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Projectors Club
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**OLIVE WILCOXON** 

"Ollie"

Y-Teens 1,4 Volcano 4 Dramatics 4 CLASS FLOWER

"American Beauty Rose"

CLASS COLORS

"Blue and White"

**CLASS MOTTO** 

"In ourselves the future lies"

CLASS SPONSORS

Mr. Anderson and Mr. La Follette

Student Council

BACK ROW: Duane Patterson, Duane Bergren, Jim Hyink, Zell Peterman, David Penwell, Albert Larson, Delmar Wirth.

FIRST ROW: Margaret McKee, Martha Darnold, Jini Froyd, Marcia Woodward, Georgia Graham, Jo Ann Marvick.

For the first time in a number of years, the Villisca High School has organized a student council. Through research from neighboring schools, the students, with the help of the principal, Mr. Anderson, established a Constitution for the Villisca Student Council. The student body then voted for the establishment of a student council and its members. There were two elected from each class and five ex-officio members including the senior class president, the junior class president, the editor of the Volcano, and the two junior high class presidents.

#### YR1950PG017

Class History

Few of you really know, but many would like to know, just what was what with the class of '50 between the years 1937 and 1950! It is my duty as class historian to relate a few incidents of those "lost years"! I hope they will bring fond and amusing memories to the minds of many!

As we look back to the warm day on September 1, 1937, and see some of our little classmates as sweet, innocent youngsters, we wonder how it happened that they "be" what they are today! A few of the ones whom we remember are: James Antisdel, Betty Dee Askloff, Mavis Black, Duane Darnold, Billy Joe Johnson, Dicky Nease, Veva Nisely, Don Patterson, Gloria Pederson, Alice Pierce, Jo Ann Shaver, Pat Sierp, Fred Stickler, and Marcia Woodward. We had a very "hep" rhythm band in our kindergarten featuring cymbals, tambourines, triangles, and drums! Some of the highlights of the year were playing at Mrs. Abbey's "Ladies Aid," vaccinations for small pox and eating those delicious crayolas!

In the first grade our happy little throng was joined by Norma Jean Miller and Darwin Cartwright, with Miss Carpenter as the receiver! (Poor woman!)

We seemed to be learning a small amount of our P's and Q's; so the teachers held a conference and decided to let us go on to the second grade. Our class was enlarged this year by Bonnie Wills, Thomas Kelly, Donna Gindlesperger and William ("putt-putt-deer-deer") Viner! We were such a large and brilliant group that they had to divide us into two classes with Miss Meyers and Miss Osen as the teachers! (By the way, after a year's experience with our class, Miss Osen decided nothing could be worse, and joined the "WAC's":

In the third grade we were joined by Joyce Retland with Miss Taylor as our teacher! We spent most of our leisure time carving various animals out of soap! Jerry Greenfield was nearly mad trying to decide between Marcia and Norma as his "one and only"! We lost Darwin Cartwright to another school!

We now were honored by being allowed to climb the stairway to the second floor, the fourth grade. We were

joined this year by Deloris Hedstrom and Joyce Case. Dicky Nease threw his money away wildly on suckers for Jini! (Spendthrift!)

In the fifth grade, we gained three new members and lost three. We gained Carolyn Shepherd, Leo Lowenberg and Lawrence Hendry and lost Alice Pierce, Bonnie Wills, and Gloria Pederson. Miss Hanson was our teacher, who loved having after school spelling classes. Jim Hyde and Carolyn Shepherd seemed to be the number one "lovers" this year!

We gained one new classmate, Benny Gage, in our sixth year, but lost Deloris Hedstrom A small incident concerning a white ribbon proved surprising circumstances, didn't they, Nor and Benny? Miss Miller was our teacher this year, when we thought we were the "rulers of the grade school"!

Our big moment had finally arrived! We went five blocks farther and arrived at the high school! Of course, we were only seventh grade members, but then we thought we were pretty hot stuff! Our minds were changed two weeks later ---- shy, you know! We welcomed Delores Murphy, Bill Perkins, and Kenny Oltmann into our class with Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Brenton as our teachers! The "Tom Sawyer" operetta was the outstanding event of the year! (It was the first time any of us knew how it felt to be a sunflower!) We lost Jerry Greenfield and Betty Askloff to another school!

At last!! Kings of Junior High! We reached the eighth grade and acquired a great number of new students, but lost Don Patterson. They were Jerry Ziehe, Eldon Gustafson, Darwin Kendrick, Dick Focht, Alice Cordes, Gwen Baker, and Beverly Day! The "slave drivers" this year were Stone and Miss Miller. Sports were quite the thing this season and

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our Junior High teams proved very successful! We had an enjoyable eighth grade party in spite of the fact that it poured down rain and most of us walked home barefooted! We graduated from Junior High with a very simple, but impressive, ceremony. High school----here we come!!

On September 1, 1946, a group of "greenies" looked about as they had on September 1, 1937 and ascended the stairs of the high school to be pushed around by the upper classmen! We lost Leo Lowenberg and Billy Joe Johnson, but in return we gained Art Anderson, Lila Bauer, Duane Bergren, Bertha Brown, Alice Chalmers, Dwight Else, Gail Hampel, Donna Hensel, Richard Hart, Betty Lee, Paul Poston, Genevieve Roberts, Marjorie Schaffer, Kenny Starlin, Ruth Stahnke, and John Van Fosson ---- and also regained Deloris Hedstrom, Darwin Cartwright, and Mavis Black, whom we left somewhere! Finally we overcame some of our "greenness" and won the ticket sales at the school carnival, much to the Seniors' distress!

We ascended the second step of high school and became "not-too-sure" Sophomores. This year we climbed our steps without John Van Foss on, Mavis Black, Bonnie Wills, Paul Lehman, and Deloris Hedstrom, but gained Bob Taylor, "Pesty" Bryson, Keith Moore, Frankie Corben, and Bob Lorenz. We, as most Sophomores, were still a little unsure, but took part in school life as much as possible!

Next we went up one more step to become "more confident" Juniors! Again we lost Darwin Cartwright, whom we tried to hold on to but couldn't, Bob Lorenz, Frankie Corben, Joyce Reiland and Dwight Else. With the bad news comes the good ---- or ---- what's this?— Jerry Greenfield had come back to stay! (We think!) We gained Jim Hyink, Elizabeth Schowalter, Olive Wilcoxen, and Marilyn Cronwall! Hats off to them! We gave a very fine Junior-Senior banquet this year which was enjoyed by all! (We think!)

Here we are!! Finally we take our last step to be the "get-out-of-my-way-here-lcome" Seniors! We never thought we would make it but here we are! This year we lost Elizabeth Schowalter, Veva Nisely, and Keith Moore, but we were fortunate to acquire "the Hefflefingers"----, Clara and Don, and Velma Peterman. Out of the ones who started kindergarten way back in '37, there are only ten left! They are Duane Darnold, Richard Elswick, Joyce Enarson, Bill Fisher, Jini Froyd, Jerry Greenfield, Jo Ann Shaver, Pat Sierp, Marcia Woodward and Fred Stickler!

Although we've seemed difficult to handle and disgusting at times, dear teachers and fellow classmates, the years between 1937 and 1950 were the "best years of our lives!" Class Song

(Tune of "My Buddy") Years have passed since

first we met.

We loved our school, and

we love her yet.

Dear schoolmates,

Old schoolmates--

No years quite so dear.

Now we're leaving dear V.H.S.

We'll miss you all,

we must confess.

Dear schoolmates,

Old schoolmates--

No years quite so dear.

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Class Prophecy of 1950

An amazing invention has just been discovered by a member of the Senior class. A machine that enables us to whisk off into the future to see what has happened to the mighty class of 1950.

What have we here? It's a self-service gas station in the vicinity of Bethesda, run on by none other than Bill Fisher. Who is this just driving up? Why, it's Duane Bergren, who is still running a taxi service for disabled Senior girls.

Jerry Ziehe, after eight years of marriage is well on the way to having his own football team with perhaps a few girl tackles.

Charles Atlas has just found a new model for his muscle factory. Richard Hart fondly known as "Baby Face" during high school days is the lucky one.

Betty Lee has finally finished the sweater she started knitting for Gilbert in 1950. Donna Hensel who started her career as secretary of Y-Teens, is now working as secretary at the YMCA in Omaha.

Kenny Oltman, after going steady fifteen years with Jo Ann Shaver has decided she isn't after his money and has finally popped the question. He is awaiting the answer patiently.

Flash! Flash! Lila Bauer has become the first woman to win the 500-mile Memorial Day race at Indianapolis and has finally made the headlines of the Villisca Review.

Genny Roberts is still working as a secretary for a certain insurance company in Clarinda.

Girls, is your beauty slipping? It is? Then come to Fred Stickler's beauty salon in West Dickeyville.

Pat Sierp and Wayne Fast, after ten years of happy marriage, have decided to invest in one of the largest thriving grocery stores in Siola.

Kenny Starlin, who once starred under Reno Smith, has succeeded him as F. F. A. basketball coach.

After studying law for the past twenty years, Don Hefflefinger has just been elected Governor of lowa. He and his lovely wife, Carolyn Shepherd, are making preparations to move into the governor's mansion.

Marcia Woodward, whose nickname was "Cookie" in high school, is busy making dog biscuits for Red Heart and Company.

James Lund, known in high school as Sam, the clean-up man, is now Chief street cleaner in New York City. Clara Hefflefinger has finally got up nerve enough to dye her hair red. Now she's playing on the All American Redhead Team.

Roland Bryson, alias "Pesty," is being sought by the F. B. I. in connection with the \$50,000 robbery of Dodson Jewelry Store.

Dorothy Andrew has just been elected Miss Milkmaid of the McAlpin dairy farm. Joyce Emerson and Maurice Nevis are still running a taxi service between Clarinda and Villisca.

Stanley Laurel, of the very popular Laurel and Hardy, has just taken his fourteenth wife. The lucky one is Jini

Froyd. They are planning a song and dance routine for a new movie.

Jinny Hyink is now assistant coach at Iowa City under head coach, Joyce Case.

Bertha "Bubbles" Brown and Olive "Oyl" Wilcoxin are now performing at Billy Rose's Diamond Horseshoe as burlesque dancers.

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Alice Chalmers, the woman daredevil, is now performing for Jimmy Lynch and his death dodgers.

Jerry Greenfield has just finished remodeling his coupe so he and his fiancee, Velma Peterman, can go to Arkansas to get married. There are rumors that he is making her pay two cents a mile for the trip.

Darwin Kendrick has just completed his 10,000th round trip to Clarinda.

Mel Cronwall, after her third divorce, has decided to settle down with Bob Taylor on his 14,000 acre chicken ranch west of Morton Mills.

Dean Morehouse is in New York, teaching Arthur Murray new dancing steps for his dancing class.

Ruth Stahnke has just been chosen Miss America of 1965.

Bennie Gage is chief wheel tightner in Norma Miller's motorcycle shop.

Bill Perkins, after three years of steady dieting has finally been accepted by Powers Models.

Alice Cordes has just been promoted as chief cook and bottle washer at Sierp's Oil in Villisca.

Buck Darnold is on his way to Central Africa as a missionary. As we all know, he got his start as Hi-Y chaplain. Art Anderson and Gwen Baker are now co-owners of "Get you there in a jiffy," North Pacific Airlines. Art is the pilot and Gwen is the co-pilot.

Gail Hampel has just been unanimiously elected mayor of Guss by all fifteen residents. Marjorie Schaffer started out as a nurse in Clarinda but not making much headway; she is now working as gang nurse for some shady characters of Clarinda's underworld.

Dick Focht is earning his keep at the county poor farm in Stanton by raising rabbits. Deloris Murphy and Scoop Baker, Jr. are now residing in Arizona making their living by manufacturing little "Shovels."

• Paul Poston, who wore dark glasses all through high school was discovered by a talent scout in Red Oak and is now making a fabulous movie in Hollywood. Of course, he still wears dark glasses.

Richard Elswick has just become the President of the United States. He is the first president to be elected from Villisca.

Last, but not least, we see Eldon Gustafson as national president of the F. F. A.

As time runs out for the class of 1950, we hope that your future turns out as well as ours.

# Class Will

We, the class of '50, being sound in body and not so sure in mind, have composed a will containing the things that have made us such an outstanding and memorable group. These little gifts, bequeathed to you, we hope will be received with warm hearts and outstretched imaginations!!

Don Hefflefinger bequeaths his statement of thanking all the Hi-Y girls (?), who elected him 1950 Valentine King, to next year's lucky fellow.

Richard Hart, by special request, wished to give his lately acquired name "Pretty Boy Hart," to young Bill Anderson. Not that he thinks Bill needs it.

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Jerry Greenfield wills his ability to knock girls' teeth out, to push girls and make them chip their ankle bones, and to literally kill off the girl population, to VHS's woman-hater, Dick Marsh!

Pesty Bryson, Bennie Gage, and Richard Elswick have all decided to give their beautiful, black, curly locks to Mr. Anderson! May miracles never cease.

Patty Sierp, Joyce Enarson, Alice Cordes, Gwen Baker and Genevieve Roberts will their ability to be charter members of the diamond club to the first five lucky girls to receive such in the future 1951 Senior class. Jini Froyd gives her clear, sweet, soprano voice to Cleo Fidler. A happy medium is much to be desired in this case.

Jerry Ziehe wills his football ability to Duane Patterson. This should keep your Irish down, "Mousie." Just remember Jerry's slogan, "No matter how hard you fall, always come up smiling."

Delbert Schroeder is the fortunate receiver of Bob Taylor's long winded and fantastic stories. Here's hoping you have a little more luck, Delbert, in convincing your listeners.

Bill Fisher is very generous this year; he wills his height and long legs to Gene Westerlund and his quiet untalkative ways to Ted Bauer. I'm sure Gene will appreciate the height, but Ted will surely burst if he has to

Buck Darnold bequeaths his basketball ability and eye for long shots to Davy Penwell. With this comes a package of grow-pup dog food.

Duane Bergren, our class president, whole-heartedly wills his susceptibility to childhood epidemics to anyone who doesn't like school but appreciates make-up work.

Paul Poston will part with his beautiful red hair lucky receiver is Tommy

Enarson. It will be much cheaper than peroxide, Tom!!

Deloris Murphy gives her quaint way of blushing to the Marvick twins. You can divide it up, girls, there will be plenty to go around.

Kenny Oltman gives his theme song "So Tired," to Betty Fisher. Maybe this will slow her down a bit and give other people a chance.

Art Anderson bequeaths his side burns to Larry Shepherd. This should go nicely with Larry's long hair cut. Velma Peterman wills her good-natured ways and pleasant smile to Russell Loghry. Olive Wilcoxen gives her blond hair and girlish ways to Gene Smith!!

Jo Arm Shaver wills her dancing talents to Wendell White. May your size fourteen

never falter. Wendell

Clara Louise Hefflefinger wills her straight black hair to John "Curly" Murren. Kenny Starlin and Dean Morehouse will their quiet, shy and mannerly ways to Bernard Weaver and Dale Archer. It honestly works sometimes, fellows.

Ruth Stahnke wills her yen for reading her never-ending narratives to Laurance Hoyt. Sometimes it takes three class periods, Laurance, but eventually you'll get the job done.

James Lund bequeaths his nickname "Sam, the clean-up (?) man," to all of

those who ever have had ninth hour or is it KP?????

Darwin Kendrick wills his car to Jan Strickland. It will be harder to operate, Jan, but much cozier than a motor

Gail Hampel bequeaths with pride and joy his wavy hair is more appealing than the straight wiry type.

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Jim Hyink wills his position as class treasurer to next year's Senior treasurer. This includes all bills, so Jim will

Donna Hensel given her job of checking attendance to Buck Finkle. This should make skipping school a cinch,

Carolyn Shepherd wills her ability to jerk sodas to Carol Hess.

Dorothy Andrew wills her position as tallest girl of the Senior class to Zell "Shortstuff" Peter man.

Marjorie Schaffer wills her ability to work and save money to Mary Jo Bashaw. This should keep you well supplied with "greenstuff" to buy ice cream, candy bars, and cokes. Norma Jean Miller wills her basketball technique to Mary Doll.

Eldon Gustafson bequeaths his ability to take out a certain Freshman girl to Bob Lindell. Seems they have common interests!

Dick Focht wills his little black book filled with Stanton phone numbers to the fellow who will pay the highest

Bill Perkins wills his seat in English literature to Delmar Wirth, but it comes with the understanding, Delmar,

that you must promise to carry out one tradition. That of heartlessly crushing the feet of the girl behind you by lowering and raising you seat!!!!

Now all's fair in love and war so Bev Day gives her crushed toes to the unfortun-

ate individual that sits behind Delmar Wirth next year!

Bertha Brown and Betty Lee bestow their willingness to work and spirit of co-operation to Frosty Patton and Ruth Ackerman. A word from the wise is always sufficient, kids!!!!

Marcia Woodward gives her position as editor of the Volcano to anyone who wants it!! This job includes working with THAT machine, paying all cleaning bills, and helping people find their lost religions! Alice Chalmers bequeaths her ability to fall down on the basketball court and use the helping hand of her opponent before she can rise, to Janet Noble!

Fred Stickler gives his brilliant mind and gorgeous A's to the future 1951 physics class.

May ye all shine

Joyce Case leaves her many fine contributions and worthy causes she has worked for in Y-Teens, to Shirley Sanford.

Lila Bauer bequeaths her piano playing ability to the most unrhythmatical student in

VHS Bobby Rambo

And Mel Cronwall leaves habit of falling upstairs instead of down, to anyone who's silly enough to try it. Signed, Class of '50

#### YR1950PG023

Our Class Poem

We're the class of '50, forty-nine members strong,

And now we're writing this poem to help us say "So long!"

There are Buck, Don, and Bill,

Who won fame on the basketball floor.

And Jerry's feats on the gridiron,

Will live forever more.

Pesty, Dick, and Ellsie were also on the team;

They helped keep the Bluejays right on the beam.

Then there's Bob, Paul, and Duane B.,

With hair of red, they're easy to see.

There's Jini and Murph, Carolyn and Mel,

Four musical gals that ring the bell.

Kendrick and Greenfield are pals so true,

And Gail and Fred are inseparable, too.

Three swell couples are Art and Gwennie,

Jimmie and Joyce, and Norma and Bennie.

Richard, Eldon, and Kenny belong to FFA,

They're real boosters, and that ain't hay.

There's Roberts and Andrew, Bauer and Day,

They're four girls that always together will stay.

Of Alices we have quite a few,

 ${\it Chalmers is one, and Cordes \ makes \ two.}$ 

Donna and Bertha ride the north bus,

They're two swell kids, who never make a fuss.

Two loyal pals are Kenny 0. and Bill P.,

Wherever there's one, the other will be.

Marcia's a gal with lots of pep,

As a cheerleader, she's really hep.

Then we have James, better known as Sam,

And Dean, who can pass most any exam.

Two girls, Ruth and Olive, with pretty blond hair,

Where there's excitement, they will be there.

Joyce E. and Clara won basketball fame,

And Pat 's a swell girl who'll soon change her name.

There's Velma, who joined our class this year,

And JoAnn, who's always full of good cheer.

Last, but not least, are Marj and Betty Lee,

Two truer pals you never will see.

That ends our class roll, and now we will say,

"Farewell" to the friends who behind us will stay.

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UNDERCLASSMEN

#### YR1950PG025

Juniors

BACK ROW: Patterson, Finkle, Scott, Miller, Loghry, Roberts, Lindell, Bauers, Hoyt.

SECOND ROW: Gage, Larson, Murren, Belding, Mattingly, Stahnke, Rhamy, Ackerman, Smith, Hensel. FIRST ROW: Embree, Fisher, Burns, Penwell, Wirth, Crouse, Graham, Ayers, Bosteder, Warner.

Sophomores

BACK ROW: Scott, Wisecup, Fidler, Fidler, Minge, White, Ankeny, Brown, Gage, Weaver, Enarson,

Sheafer, Baker, Hoyt.

THIRD ROW: King, Larson, Thomas, Archer, Lenhardt, Crussell, Gay, Schroeder, Kimel, Day, Ankeny,

Larson.

SECOND ROW: Holland, McCleave, Johnson, Hyink, Carlson, Focht, Johnson, Bashaw, Clark, Bontrager,

Gourley, McKinley, Ayers, Sanford.

FIRST ROW: Corbin, Wagaman, Larson, Wilcox, Taylor, Shepherd, Hess, Bryson, Phillis, Durbin.

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Freshmen

BACK ROW: Marsh, Patton, Murren, Strickland, Linn, Carlson, Cooper, Scott, Kempton, Oltman, Baker,

Crussel.

THIRD ROW: Black, Core, Waage, Ellison, Fidler, Schroeder, Minge, Means, Brannen, Orton, Mackovets,

Brown, Wallace.

SECOND ROW: Emmons, Mauderly, Cartwright, Ankeny, Fast, Vernon, Marvick, Fast, Doll, McCollough,

Jackson, Hensel, Nobel.

FIRST ROW: Christenson, Marvick, Sierp, Lee, Hedstrum, Anderson, Smith, Mains, Norcross.

Junior Class

The Junior Class officers are: President, Delmar Wirth; Vice-President, David Penwell; Secretary, Charles

Crouse; Treasurer, Corliss Graham.
Under the direction of Miss Hankey and Miss Foster, the class set out to raise money for the Junior-Senior

Banquet. Some of their projects were magazine sales, class play, and food sales.

Sophomore Class

The Sophomore Class had the largest enrollment this year. The class includes many industrious workers and good musical and athletic material.

The class officers are: Jo Ann Taylor, President; Norma Wilcox, Vice-President; Carol Hess, Secretary; Larry Shepherd, Treasurer. The Lass sponsors are Miss Rusk and Mr. Bynum.

#### Freshman Class

The Freshmen turned out to be not too green" this year. With some of their ambitions already realized, they prove a "tough" match for the upperclassmen. The class boasts members in basketball, football, instrumental groups, vocal groups, and cheerleading.

The class officers are: Sarah Lee, President; Bill Anderson, Vice-President; Mary Lou Hedstrum, Secretary; Kent Smith, Treasurer. The class sponsors are Miss Gardner and Miss Stroeber.

#### YR1950PG027

**ACTIVITIES** 

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Cheerleaders

Delmar Wirth, Jo Ann Carlson, Marcia Woodward, Shirley Sanford, and Andy Crussel.

Homecoming

BACK ROW: Marcia Woodward, Jini Froyd, Norma Miller, and Carolyn Shepherd.

FRONT ROW: Craig Nordyke, Joyce Case, and Sandy Dye.

#### YR1950PG029

Mixed Chorus

BACK ROW: Oltman, Wisecup, Hyink, Norcross, Marsh, Enarson, Mains, Archer.

THIRD ROW: Thomas, Anderson, Perkins, Wirth, Stickler, Lindell, Bauer, Anderson, Crussel,

Schroeder, Hensel, Hess, Weaver.

SECOND ROW: McKinley, Fisher, Marvick, Marvick, Christenson, Taylor, Mackovets, Case, Chalmers, Enarson,

Wallace, Bontrager, Hyink, Hedstrum, Shepherd.

FIRST ROW: Durbin, Holland, Baker, Sanford, Bauer, Froyd, Miller, Cronwall, Graham, Noble,

Woodward, Wilcox, Murphy, Sierp, Vernon.

Glee Club

BACK ROW: Perkins, Hyink, Oltman, Anderson, Lindell, Archer.

SECOND ROW: Thomas, Mains, Marsh, Crussel, Schroeder, Anderson, Norcross. FIRST ROW: Wisecup, Hensel, Stickler, Wirth, Bauer, Enarson, Weaver, Hess.

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Girls' Glee Club

BACK ROW: McKinley, Christenson, Taylor, Mackovets, Case, Chalmers, Enarson, Wallace, Bontrager,

Sierp

SECOND ROW: Fisher, Marvick, Sanford, Bauer, Froyd, Miller, Hyink, Shepherd, Murphy, Vernon.

FIRST ROW: Durbin, Holland, Marvick, Baker, Cronwall, Graham, Noble, Woodward, Wilcox, Hedstrum.

Twelvetette

LEFT TO RIGHT: Graham, Noble, Woodward, Sanford, Bauer, Froyd, Miller, Christenson, Cronwall, Murphy,

Shepherd, and Sierp.

#### YR1950PG031

Sextette

LEFT TO RIGHT: Marilyn Cronwall, Marcia Woodward, Lila Bauer, Deloris Murphy, Jini Froyd, Carolyn Shepherd.

Quartette

LEFT TO RIGHT: Carolyn Shepherd, Marcia Woodward, Deloris Murphy, Jini Froyd.

#### YR1950PG032

CONCERT BAND

MARCHING BAND PEP BAND

### YR1950PG033

All State Band

Bob Lindell and Marcia Woodward.

Clarinet Trio

Janive Hyink, Deloris Murphy, and Joyce Enarson.

Saxophone Quartette

Pat Sierp, Janet Christenson,

Marcia Woodward, and Carolyn Shepherd.

#### YR1950PG034

Y-Teen

As you can see, the Y-Teen membership was quite large this year. These girls were fine workers for their club and accomplished much during '49-'50. During the year the girls sold basketball pencils, operated the football stand, sold fireman's ball tickets, and held many social functions.

The Cabinet includes: (front row) C. Graham, M. Cronwall, D. Murphy, N. Miller, J. Froyd, J. Case, C. Shepherd, M. Woodward, J. Enarson, P. Sierp, B. Day, D. Hensel, and B. Embree.

Miss Edith Rusk and Miss Evelyn Hanky were the advisors.

Hi-Y

The Hi-Y officers under the direction of Mr. Anderson were: President, James Hyink; Vice-President,

Delmar Wirth; Secretary, David Penwell; Treasurer, Carol Hess.

The homecoming dance, one movie serial, auto emblems, and dances after home games were all sponsored by the Hi-Y.

This organization's membership totaled forty-eight and was a member of the district and area Y.M.C.A.

### YR1950PG035

Volcano

BACK ROW: Ziehe, Oltnamm, Bauer, Grouse, Wirth.

SECOND ROW: Warner, Mattingly, Stahnke, Froyd, Shepherd, Cronwall, Day.

FIRST ROW: Graham, Miller, Woodward, Sierp.

(Olive Wilcoxon and Duane Patterson were absent when the picture was taken.)

Eight issues of the school paper were put out. Marcia Woodward served as Editor-in-Chief with Norma Miller as assistant, becoming Associate Editor the second semester.

**Future Farmers of America** 

Officers for the year were as follows: Duane Bergren, President; Delmar Wirth, Vice-President; Vernon Lenhardt, Secretary; Richard Hart, Treasurer; Roland Bryson, Sergeant at Arms. Mr. Smith was the advisor.

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Dramatics Club

The Dramatics Club was organized in December, 1949, by Miss Lina Foster. The officers were: President, M. Woodward; Vice-President, D. Penwell; Secretary, L. Bauer; Treasurer, C. Shepherd; and Publicity Chairman, M. Cronwall

The club had two social events during the school year. A formal Christmas dance was held December 19, and an informal St. Patrick's day party was held March 17.

Three one-act plays were presented by the Dramatics Club on February 9.

librarians

The officers for the year were: President, Beverly Day; Secretary and Treasurer, Jo Ann Taylor; Janice Hyink,

#### Social.

There are twenty-seven members in the club. All the members work in the library except the seven honorary members who have served their four semesters. Miss Lina Foster was the advisor.

#### YR1950PG037

ATHLETICS

#### YR1950PG038

The first game of the season was held September 9, with Bedford in a non-conference game. The Bluejays pushed across two touchdowns to win the game 12-0. The high light of the game was holding Bedford for only two first downs.

September 16, the Bluejays journeyed to Atlantic where they played their first conference game. The Atlantic team proved too strong for the Bluejays eleven and therefore won 49-13. Jerry Ziehe scored once for Villisca on a eighty yard run, and Art Anderson caught a pass and ran fifty yards for Villisca's other touchdown,

The Bluejays were then engaged in a non-conference game with Lenox. The Jays were badly injured from the Atlantic game and unfortunately dropped this game 13-7.

The fourth game of the season was on September 30. This game was with a very strong Creston team, who pushed the Jays all over the field. The final score was 53-0.

October 7, the Orient Bulldogs defeated the Jays 13-21. The game was featured by Jerry Ziehe getting loose on the second play of the game and running sixty yards to score. This was a hard fought battle which the Jays should have won.

The next game on October 14, was with the highly rated Shenandoah team. They threw everything but the water bucket at Villisca and defeated them 63-13. The scorers for Villisca was Duane Williams and Jerry Ziehe. The Jays then played Red Oak on the latter's field. In this game the Jays showed signs of good playing, but was defeated 13-6. Villisca's lone touchdown came just before the half.

Before a large homecoming crowd the Jays were defeated by Corning 14-33, October 28. Before the game Joyce Case was crowned Homecoming Queen. The score at the half was 14-14, but from then on the Red Raiders slowly pulled away.

The Bluejays of "49" ended the season by dropping their last game to Clarinda on Armistice Day. It was a very hard fought battle with the Jays coming out on the small end of a 14-0 count. This game ended the season with one win and eight defeats.

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BACK ROW: Bauer, Elswick, Hyink.

SECOND ROW: Coach Bynum, Gustafson, Enar son, Mains, Smith, Coach Dye.

FIRST ROW: Shepherd, Hefflefinger, Lindell, Fisher, Darnold.

Basketball

The 1949-'50 basketball schedule included five non-conference and twelve conference games. The Bluejays won four out of five non-conference games and three out of twelve conference meets.

The season opened November 29 with the Jays playing College Springs here.

The Jays beat Corning 40-37 in the sectional tournament and met Griswold in the district tournament. Villisca

32 College Springs 4623 Shenandoah 49

37 Braddyville 29 (overtime)

 40
 Red Oak
 34

 26
 Creston
 39

 28
 Bedford
 27

 36
 Corning
 29

24 Clarinda 39 41 Atlantic 14 40 Gravity37 27 Shenandoah 55 32 Bedford 28 50 Red Oak 51 (overtime) 34 Creston 31 37 Corning 38 26 Clarinda 42 26 Atlantic 54

Coach Lewis Dye handed over the coaching reigns to his assistant, Ray Bynum, on account o: illness, Coach Bynum finished the season successfully.

#### YR1950PG040

BACK ROW: Else, Fisher, Fidler, Enarson. SECOND ROW: Fast, Marvick, Vernon, Day.

FIRST ROW: Noble, Nisely, Hefflefinger, Miller, Cronwall, McKinley.

 $FORWARDS: Veva\ Nisely,\ Clara\ Hefflefinger,\ Norma\ Miller,\ Marilyn\ Cronwall,\ Betty\ Fisher,\ Betty\ Else,\ Joanne$ 

Marvick, Norma Wilcox, Beverly Embree, Jane Enarson

GUARDS: Cleo Fidler, Joyce Enar son, Evie McKinley, Janet Noble, Judy Vernon, Jeanne

Marvick, Alice Chalmers, Joan Fast, Peggy Day, Mary Fast, Mary Doll, Ellen Phillis.

The girls opened the season under the direction of Coach Bynum, with La Follette taking over in the middle of the season. The Montgomery County Jamboree was held in Villisca this year, the Villisca girls playing Wales Lincoln the third quarter. The girls drew a bye for the first game of the county tournaments, and played Elliott the second game. Although the girls played one of their most outstanding games of the season, Elliott came out ahead, 48-26. The girls suffered another defeat when they lost to Stanton, 28-42, in the sectional tournament played on the Villisca floor. February 28 the entire squad was entertained at a chili supper held at Tim and Jane's Cafe.

#### SCORES

	WE	THEY		
College Springs		25	55	
ISD	29	46		
Brado	lyville	22	40	
Stenn	ett	43	53	
Cobu	rg 35	46		
Stenn	ett	29	51	
ISD	25	40		

### YR1950PG041

SCHOOL FUN

#### YR1950PG042

1. Ooo! the water's cold. 2. Which twin has the Toni? 3. Let's set a spell. 4. Does Bobette know? 5. "WOW!" 6. Baby Darwin. 7. Sign language. 8. Smile purty. 9. Your slip is showing. 10. Ain't we sweet? 11. Can you top this? 12. Where did everyone come from? 13. Hike, 1-2-3. 14. So tired. 15. A haunting we will go. 16. To church? 17. Low man on the totem pole. 18. Treed. 19. Just chums.

### YR1950PG043

**ADVERTISING** 

#### YR1950PG044

COMPLIMENTS

STICKLER BARBER SHOP

JOHNSON GROCERY

WOLFE FUNERAL HOME

MARSH MOTORS

**GUNDERMAN INSURANCE** 

SUTPHEN FUNERAL HOME

DRAPER PRODUCE

BEATRICE FOODS

FORSYTHE HATCHERY

BILL DAY

CO-OP OIL AND SUPPLY ASSOCIATION

SIERP OIL COMPANY AND CAFE

VILLISCA SEED AND NURSERY

**DUNN'S VARIETY STORE** 

SCOTT APPLIANCES

MEANS HARDWARE

MULLER'S DRY GOODS

HONEYMAN'S DRUG

WEBER'S SHOE STORE

RIALTO THEATRE

JOHN DUNN AUTO

JOHNSON ELECTRIC

SAVE STORE

MOORE BROTHERS

DANZER GAS AND ELECTRIC

SUPPLY STORE

DODSON'S JEWELER

PAUL ALEXANDER

HAROLD BICKFORD, ATTORNEY

DR. S. W. SIDWELL

ARCHER POOL HALL

CENTRAL MARKET

CARL LINDELL

ANDREW CLOTHING

NORDYKE BARBER

THE REVIEW

VILLISCA MONUMENT WORKS

JOHNSON AND KENDRICK

TIM AND JANE'S CAFE

NODAWAY VALLEY NATIONAL BANK

WINTER'S CLOTHING AND CLEANING

M. E. WENDLING INSURANCE

**ENO'S FURNITURE** 

FENGEL'S CLEANERS

**GAMBLE STORE** 

KARLE BAKERY

PEARSON'S JEWELRY

**COMMUNITY GAS** 

FORD GARAGE

DANIELSON IMPLEMENT COMPANY

FRED LEWIS SHOE REPAIR

TYLER ICE AND COAL

VILLISCA IMPLEMENT COMPANY

**FULLERTON LUMBER COMPANY** 

MARSH SERVICE STATION

**NEEDHAM'S BLACKSMITH** 

BILL MARSH

**FAY STILL** 

VILLISCA ELEVATING COMPANY

**OLSON HATCHERY** 

**CLARK BROTHERS** 

COX PRODUCE

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BS Iowa State College

Iowa State Teachers College

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MR. ALBERT PATTERSON--JANITOR

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Mr. Donald Reed Assistant Coach BA Peru State Teachers College

Mr. Martin Hentsch Band, Music BA Carthage College

TEACHERS NOT PICTURED:

Mr. Reno Smith Vocational Agriculture BS University of Nebraska Iowa State College Colorado State College Mrs. Walter Hyink Social Science BA University of Michigan

Student Council

(Because of the close co-operation between the faculty and the student council, the council has been included as part of the administration),

STUDENT COUNCIL

The student council started its second year of existence by changing the method of election of council members. Members were chosen from the nine home rooms and the two junior high grades rather than by classes. All members had to have passing grades in order to be eligible and must keep up these grades in order to remain a member.

The officers of the council were chosen from the members and are as follows: David Penwell, President; Peggy Day, Vice-President; Dick Marsh, Treasurer; and Carol Hess, Secretary. The other members of the council are Bob Means, Linda Moore, John Williams, John Minge, Ted Bauer, Margaret Wagaman, Ray Hensel, Marjorie Wallace, Joan Fast, and Everett Larson.

The council acts in an advisory capacity on student affairs. Suggestion boxes were placed in the home rooms so students might introduce any suggestions they had for school improvement. These suggestions were then collected by the council president and brought before the council which met each week. The council accomplished these things during the year; presented a program which allowed students to drive at noon, made recreation rooms available for boys and girls during the noon hour, helped to improve the eating conditions in the school gym, furthered development of safety rules on the school premises, and helped to promote co-operation between the students and the administration, Through a student council, the student body may feel that they have a part in the development of their school.

The council advisor was Mr. Anderson.

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Calendar

AUGUST:

28-Half day of school; book bills""""

SEPTEMBER:

13-Fire Drill

15-Bedford football game, there

18-Seniors elect officers--Davie's President

20-Change in Council constitution

21-Junior High Football Game, Corning, here

25-Reserve Football Game, Atlantic, here

29-Driver's Safety Tests

29-Hobby Show, exhibits in gym

29-Lenox football game, here

30-Y-Teen conference at Creston

OCTOBER:

2-F. F. A. hay ride at 7:30

3-Juniors elect Larson as president

3-Patterson's Strong Arm Act

10-F.F.A. Boys and Mr. Smith to KC

12-Fire Drill

13-Orient football game, here

16-Assembly Movie

17-Conservation Day, Mobile Unit here

19-Senior Pictures taken

20-Shenandoah football game, there

NOVEMBER:

1-School individual pictures taken

3-Teachers' Convention -- no school

6-Junior Class Play

9-Father-Daughter Mixer

10 - Clarinda football game, there

16-Movie, Highway Mania

22- Captain Dry

23-Thanksgiving vacation

27-Librarians' Dinner

28-Braddyville basketball game, there

29-Football Banquet

DECEMBER

1-Creston basketball game, there

6-Junior Play Cast Party

8-Red Oak basketball game, there

11-Sophomore Class Party

12-Corning Junior High basketball game, here

13-Librarians' Christmas Party

14-Band Concert

15-Clarinda basketball game, here

18-Faculty Dinner

19-Grade School Christmas Party

21-New Market Girls' basketball game, here

22-Y-Teens Kiddie Party

22-Christmas Film

23-Christmas vacation begins

JANUARY:

2-Braddyville basketball game, here

4- Stennett basketball game, here

4-Films, "Lets Play Fair," "Americans All"

5-Atlantic basketball game, here

#### YR1951PG007

**SENIORS** 

#### YR1951PG008

**EDITOR EDDIE JOE ROBERTS "BRAIN"** 

Football-1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball-1, 2; Track-1; Baseball-2, 3; Hi-Y-1, 2, 3; FFA-1, 2, 3, 4; Projectors' Club-4; V-Club-1, 2, 3,4; Dramatics Club-3; Football Co-Captain-4.

SECRETARY DOROTHY WRIGHT "DOT"

Librarians-2, 3, 4; Y-Teen-1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teen Publicity Chairman-4; Class Secretary-4; Basketball-3; Principal's Secretary-4; Band-1; Volcano-4.

PRESIDENT DAVID PENWELL "PINBALL"

Hi-Y-1,2,3,4; Hi-Y Secretary-3; Dramatics Club-3,4; Dramatics Club President-3; Football-2,3,4; Basketball-2, 3; Baseball-3; Student Council-3, 4; Student Council President-4; Class Vice-President-1; Class Secretary-2; Class Vice-President-3; Class President-4; Junior Class Play-3; Student Manager (Football)-1; V-Club-3,4; Volcano Staff-2, 3.4: Mixed Chorus-2.

SHIRLEY MATTINGLY "SAM"

Y-Teen- 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teen Social Chairman-4; Dramatics Club-3, 4; Librarians-2,3,4; Librarians Secretary-4; Volcano 3,4; Volcano Business Manager-4; Junior Class Play-3.

TED BAUER "BONES"

Band-1; Chorus-3, 4; Boys' Glee-3, 4; Hi-Y-1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y Vice-President-4; Junior Class Play-3; Dramatics Club-3, 4; Dramatics Club Treasurer-4; Football-1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1,2,3; Basebail-2, 3; Volcano-3,4; Volcano Assistant Editor 3; Editor-4; Student Council-4; V-C lub-1, 2, 3, 4.

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VICE-PRESIDENT JOYCE STAHNKE "STANKY"

Y-Teen -1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teen- Cabinet-4; Librarians-2, 3, 4; Class Vice-President-4; Band-3; Basketball-1. TREASURER BARBARA BRENTON "BARB"

Volcano-4; Y - Teen-1, 2, 3, 4; Librarians-2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer-4; Junior Class Play-3.

CO-EDITOR CHARLES CROUSE "CHUCK"

Football-1, 2, 3, 4; Class President -1; Vice-President-2; Secretary-3; FFA-1, 2, 3, 4; FFA Reporter-2; Hi-Y-1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y President-4; V-Club-1,2, 3,4; Dramatics Club-3, 4; Dramatics Club President-4; Junior Class Play-3; Football Co-Captain-4; One-Act Play-3; Valentine King-4.

**RUTH ACKERMAN "RUTHIE"** 

Y-Teen-1, 2, 3,4; Librarians-3, 4; Librarians Social Chairman-4; Dramatics Club-3, 4; Homecoming Queen-4; Carnival Queen Attendant-3: Volcano-4.

**DELMAR WIRTH "WIRTHLESS"** 

FFA-1, 2, 3,4; FFA Secretary-2; Vice-President-3; President 4; Hi-Y-1,2,3,4; Hi-Y Vice-President-3; Chaplain-4; Dramatics Club-3,4; Cheerleader-3,4; Projectors' Club-3,4; Volcano-2, 3, 4; Chorus-3, 4; Boys' Glee-3, 4; FFA Basketball-2; Student Council-3; Class Vice-President-1; Class President 2; Class President-3.

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RUSSELL KIMPSON "KIMPY"

Basketball-1, 2; Football-3, 4; Baseball-1, 2, 3; Track, 3, 4; Hi-Y-2, 3, 4; Boys' Glee-2, 3; Projectors' Club-4.

BETTY FISHER "FISH"

Basketball-1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee-2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee President-4; Mixed Chorus-3, 4; Y-Teen-1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teen Cabinet-4; Junior Class Play-3; Volcano-4.

TOM PENRY "TONTO"

Basketball-2, 3; Baseball-1, 2, 3, 4; Football-2, 3.

ANNA MARIE BELDING "TOOTS"

Y-Teens-1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teen Cabinet-4; Choir-4; Girls' Glee 3, 4; Band-1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club-3, 4; Junior Class Play 3; Volcano-4.

EARL GAGE "OIL"

Football-1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball-2, 3; Track-3, 4; V Club-4.

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GENE SMITH "SMITTY"

Hi-Y-1, 2, 3, 4; Projectors' Club-1, 2, 3, 4; Projectors' Club President-4; Band-1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus-1, 2, 3, 4;

Dramatics Club-3, 4; Volcano-4; Boys' Glee-3, 4; One-Act Play-1, 2, 3, 4.

NORMA WARNER "NORT"

Y-Teen-1, 2, 3, 4; Librarians-2, 3, 4; Librarians President 4; Y-Teen-Corresponding Secretary-4; Volcano-3, 4 LAURENCE HOYT "FRUITIES"

Basketball-1, 2, 3, 4; Track-1, 2; Football-4.

**EDNA BURNS "EDDY"** 

Y - Teen -1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball-4; Band-1, 2, 3; Dramatics Club-3, 4; Junior Class Play-3.

**DUANE PATTERSON "MOUSIE"** 

Football-1, 2, 3, 4; V-Club- 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Manager, Basketball-2, 3, 4; Hi-Y-1, 2, 3 4; Chorus-1, 2, 4; Double Quartette-2; All-State Chorus-2; Dramatics Club-3; Student Council-3; Volcano-3; Volcano Assistant Editor-4; Junior Class Play-3.

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TIMMY LARSON "TIM"

FFA -1; Hi-Y-1, 2, 3,4; Hi-Y Secretary-4; Baseball-2, 3.

CARL FINKLE "BUCK"

Track-1; Chorus-1, 4; Band-2, 3, 4; Basketball-2; Hi-Y-1,2; Boys' Glee-4.

HOWARD MILLER "HOWDY"

Projectors' Club-4; Projectors' Club Treasurers.

BEVERLY EMBREE "BEV"

Volcano-4; Basketball-1, 2; Y-Teen-1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teen Cabinet-3, 4; Principal's Secretary-4.

RAY HENSEL "WOLF"

Band-1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus-1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y-2; Boys' Glee-3, 4; Student Council-4; Double Quartette-2, 3; Junior Class Play-3; Soloist-3.

#### YR1951PG013

Class Prophecy

Ten long years have passed since the Class of '51, the largest and most talented class ever to graduate from VHS, has left that FAMOUS Institution of Learning. What has happened to the members of that class since? Have they made their mark on the world? Let us borrow one of Buck Rogers' rocket ships and look them up. Yes, two members of our class, BEVERLY EMBREE and ANNA MARIE BELDING have made their mark on the world, these two girls have just finished painting the black line on the highway from Villisca to Chicago. The greatest scandal in the history of Villisca started when BARBARA BRENTON eloped with CARL FINKLE in

1956. Her jilted suitor HOWARD MILLER forsook all and joined the French Foreign Legion. He is now stationed at Timbucktuner, Africa.

DELMAR WIRTH, the owner of the largest wheel factory in the world, has just retired to his country estate in Lower Hackelbarny.

RUSSELL KIMPSON, after serving ten years in the United States Navy, has just received his promotion to Apprentice Seaman.

TIMMIE LARSON, Southwest lowa's biggest landowner, has just bought the city square for \$1.40. He is planning on raising lizards there next spring.

After walking across the United States four times, LAWRENCE HOYT has finally settled down. He is now custodian of one of Tenville's largest cemeteries.

DUANE PATTERSON now owns and operates one of the largest peanut ranches in eastern New Mexico.

Mrs, David Penwell, the former BETTY FISHER, was recently elected Mayor of New York. Her husband, DAVID PENWELL, is peddling pencils for a living.

TED BAUER is the author of the latest best seller, "The Social Effect of the Sears Roebuck Catalog on Arkansas." The eminent scientist and educator, THOMAS EDWARD PENRY, has received the Nobel Prize for outstanding achievement in scientific research. He has found a method of making water out of gold.,

CHARLES GROUSE has forsaken raising hogs and is now raising cane. Charles and his wife, the former EDNA BURNS, have just bought one of the largest sugar cane plantations in Cuba.

DOROTHY WRIGHT, Dean of Smith College of Women, has sworn off men for good. She was recently jilted by EDDIE JOE ROBERTS who ran off with the Queen of Spain.

Working as a section hand on the Chicago, Burlington and Gage Railroad is EARL GAGE. He used to own the railroad but lost it in a crap game.

RAY HENSEL, the boy with the golden voice, is now in the employment of the Metropolitan Opera. He is foreman of the floor sweepers.

The leading commentator of Radio Station KORN, located at Hepburn, is none other than GENE SMITH. JOYCE STAHNKE has given up her baby sitting career to become head driver for SHIRLEY MATTINGLY'S Death Dodgers. Shirley's show is now appearing in Nodaway.

That cute, shy little girl, RUTH ACKERMAN, is now known as "Rough 'em up Ruthie, " Wrestling Champion of the World.

The "Queen of the Speedways," NORMA WARNER, has returned to her home near Guss for a short vacation. Norma became world famous when she won the Indianapolis Speedway Race last Memorial Day.

We sincerely hope that the other one hundred and fifty-six members of our class are doing as well as the twenty-five we were able to contact.

#### YR1951PG014

#### Class Will

Since we are leaving good old V.H.S., the Class of '51 would like to leave a few things behind that we could not get rid of in any other way!

Ruth Ackerman wills fourth period library to Miss Gardner, No one else can control it!

Chuck Crouse wills the rest of his writer's cramp to George Scott; we know you don't need any more, George, but Chuck does not want it either.

Barbara Brenton wills her diamond to Judy McCullough, she's not through with it, Judy, she's just hoping for a bigger one.

Carl Finkle wills his way with girls to Bobby Rambo. With this added attraction, Bobby, you'd better get a ball bat to beat the girls off.

Edna Burns leaves her ability to work bookkeeping to Sheri Shields. Believe me, Sheri, most people need a little boost when it comes to this.

Laurence Hoyt wills his night life and out-of-town girls to Wendell White; Laurence won't have much use for these pastimes in Korea.

Beverly Embree leaves Micky Weston to all you underclassmen; but it's just temporary, kids, she'll be back for him later.

Ray Hensel wills his ability to sing to Jim Lewellen. Remember all of us, Jimmy, when you are the top crooner on Hit Parade.

Joyce Stahnke wills her never failing memory to her sister, Candus. You're not getting much, Candy, but we hope you remember to come back to school next year.

David Penwell wills his grow-pup dog food he acquired last year to Duane Hall. It may not help your height, Duane, but it certainly takes care of the shyness.

Ted Bauer leaves a tack in all the old Senior's seats so the new Seniors will get the point.

Betty Fisher wills the remainder of her "full of pep breakfast food" to Elizabeth Corbin. Take only as directed, Liz, once in awhile Fish got an overdose.

Howard Miller wills his ability to stay with one girl to Larry Shepherd. Howard has a warning for you, Larry; don't let her have too much say or you might get henpecked.

Russell Kimpson leaves, period. Bear with us, girls, you still have "Killer Marsh," to take care of you.

Shirley Mattingly wills her Lane Hope Chest to Cleo Fidler. Shirley won't be able to

get it in her barracks bag, Cleo, so take good care of it and we know you will put it to use.

Earl Gage wills his shooting arm to Jan Strickland. Please practice on something besides dogs, Jan, because you might get into trouble.

Tom Penry wills his shaving kit to Darwin Linn. He did this, Darwin, because he got first hand information that Janet doesn't like whiskers.

Norma Warner leaves her driver's license to Marilyn Couch. She doesn't need one to drive her hot rod because no one can catch her.

Timmy Larson wills his seat on the bus to Valjean Brannan. We know Timmy dreads to give it up just to ride in his old Plymouth.

Eddie Joe Roberts gladly leaves his job as editor of next year's annual to Everett Larson. You will find the aspirin in the supply room.

Dorothy Wright wills her letter writing habits to Donna McCullough. Just make sure they do not go the same place that Dot's did, Donna.

Delmar Wirth wills his super Ford to Richard Orton. Someone has to keep up the noon taxi service next year. Gene Smith wills his photographic ability to Robert Andrew. Maybe Gene will show you how, Bob, but don't let him mix you up.

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Duane Patterson wills his power to black eyes to Melvin Oltman. We hope you don't get into too much trouble, Melvin, just make sure that it isn't Davie you hit.

Anna Marie Belding wills her locker neatness to the girls in '92. Who knows, girls, with this help you may even learn the art of good housekeeping.

Class History

With bright eyes and eager faces, we started on the Road of Education in the fall of '38 with Miss Gamble as our kindergarten teacher. Miss Gamble suffered a leg fracture during the year so Mrs. Margaret Gutherie acted as her substitute. One of the high lights of the year was the Great Mouse Hunt led by none other than Duane Patterson.

The class was so large next year that twelve pupils had to go into the second grade room, however, they took first grade work. Miss Berniece Carpenter had the first grade and Miss Kathyrine Meyers was the second grade teacher. A new student this year was Ted Bauer who entered from Mellan Rural School near Guss. We had several nice snacks of chalk and melted crayons until our teachers caught us and forbade us to have any tea parties with those two dishes as the main course.

Outside of several dozen bloody brawls during recess, we passed through second grade quietly. Miss Meyers was our teacher. This year we were interested in the study of weather and seeds and also started to learn to

write. Mary Jane Waage and Ronald McClellan left our class this year.

Miss Mary Olson was our teacher in third grade and Miss Florence Phillips was our music teacher. Claude Stevenson and Mary Jane Waage entered our class during the year. Our most interesting project was the making of clay pottery vases. Pupils from the other rooms were invited to see them.

The fourth year of school started with Miss Lois Dotson as our teacher. We were all thrilled over the fact that we were now on the second floor of the school and one of the upper grades. Our room was like a small village and the name of it was Littletown. The corner of Littletown that served as the jail proved to be the most used corner of the room. Our principal was Miss Vivian Stinson and our music teacher was Miss Crawford. During the fifth grade, we gained many new members. They were Eddie Joe Roberts, Edna Burns, Earl Gage, Roger Gray, and Billie Marie Gardner. We had a beautiful May Festival with Miss Christianson as our Sponsor. The King and Queen were selected from the sixth grade and Mary sane Waage and Richard Veak were attendants from our room.

The sixth grade was our year of glory for we were the "big wheels" of the Lincoln Building. Miss Flossie Miller was our teacher and new classmates were: LaVerna Bosteder, Jeanine Hays, Russell Loghry, and Ray Hensel. We had another May Festival with Dorothy Wright as Queen and Roger McCreedy as King. Earl Gage and Corliss Graham were our attendants.

Next year we moved to the Junior High Department of the High School building. This year we had two teachers, Miss Margaret Miller and Miss Belle Stone. We had our first football and track team this year. New students this year were Claude Stevenson, Nancy Henson, Wayne Lewis, Mary Jane Waage, while Richard Veak, Betty Fisher, and Marcia Lee moved away. Mrs. Loretta Brooks from Sioux City was our Music teacher. We entered the eighth grade with the same teachers, Miss Miller and Miss Stone. Newcomers were Betty Rhamy, Phyllis Scott, Leo Lowenberg, Joyce Stahnke, and Verlea Gay. Mrs. William Anderson was our new music teacher and Mrs. Keith Whitmore took charge of our physical training. For the first time our class elected officers. They were: Nancy Henson, President; Eddie Joe Roberts, Vice-President; Duane Patterson, Secretary; and Earl Gage, Treasurer.

#### YR1951PG016

The big step from Junior High to High School came in the fall of '47. We were not as green as most Freshmen, we were "greener." Forty-five of us began our high school days together. We were quite active as Freshmen, or at least we thought we were. All of the girls joined Y-Teens and most of the boys took part in the Hi-Y program. Six of the boys joined FFA and five of the boys earned minor letters in football, while ten of our classmates took part in the music program, six in band, and four in mixed chorus. Our class officers for the year were President, Charles Crouse; Vice-President, David Penwell; and Secretary-Treasurer, Delmar Wirth. What's this, not someone leaving us already? Yes, it's sad but true. This year we lost Jeanine Hays, Claude Stevenson, Wendell Kelly, and Lois and Louis Hill. One new member was gained, however, Bill Scott.

Our Sophomore year began without much fanfare. Leo Lowenberg received a major letter in football and Betty Fisher in Girls' Basketball, New Sophomores were Howard Miller and Ellen Selby, but we lost Leo Lowenberg, Mary Jane Waage, Nita Silvus, Billie Marie Gardner, Phyllis Scott, Harvey Cain, Keith Wills, Ellen Selby, Mildred Waterman, and Nancy Henson. Class officers were: President, Delmar Wirth, Vice-President, Charles Crouse, and Secretary-Treasurer, David Penwell.

At long last we were upperclassmen. Our Junior year proved to be a very busy one because we worked quite hard to put on a "big blowout," for the Junior-Senior Prom. Some of our money making projects were a magazine subscription campaign and managing a refreshment stand in the armory during basketball season. New classmates were Bob Lindell, Thomas Penry, Russell Kimpson, and Norine Ayers, while Russell Loghry and Betty Else left us. Officers for this year were: President, Delmar Wirth, Vice-President, David Penwell, Secretary, Charles Crouse, and Treasurer, Corliss Graham.

Only twenty-seven of us were still climbing the steps of VHS when our Senior year arrived. Those missing from our ranks were Corliss Graham, Bob Lindell, John Murren and Norine Ayers. During the year we lost two more, LaVerna Bosteder and Betty Rhamy. Some of the year's high lights were; class pictures, working on the annual,

skip day, and the Junior-Senior Prom and Banquet. Class officers were: President, David Penwell, Vice-President, Joyce Stahnke, Secretary, Dorothy Wright, and Treasurer, Barbara Brenton. The editor of the Annual was Eddie Joe Roberts, and the assistant editor, Charles Crouse. Those who spent all their school years at Villisca are: Dorothy Wright, Duane Patterson, Gene Smith, Anna Marie Belding, Laurence Hoyt, and Carl Finkle.

We wish at this time to express our thanks to all the teachers who have helped guide us through the past thirteen years of school. We appreciate your fine work and all the assistance you have given us to help us reach our goal. Some of us will be going on to higher schools of learning while some of us will end our education here, but all of us will always remember VHS with a warm spot in our hearts.

#### YR1951PG017

UnderGrads

#### YR1951PG018

Juniors

V. LENHARDT

D. GAY

P. KIMEL

J. CARLSON

D. ARCHER

P. CLARK

M. McKEE

J. FIDLER

D. SCHROEDER

M. ANKENY

W. WHITE

L. BRYSON

D. McCULLOUGH

D. WILLIAMS

E. PHILLIS

B. SHAFER

N. FOCHT

BETSY JOHNSON

E. LARSON Picture Not Available

#### YR1951PG019

B. DURBIN

T. ENARSON

A. LARSON

M. LEWELLEN

D. SPERRY

S. WISECUP

R. THOMAS

B. BONTRAGER

J. HYINK

D. MINGE

B. BAKER

M. WAGAMAN

P. DAY

- E. GAGE
- E. CORBIN
- L. SCOTT
- S. SANFORD
- C. LARSON
- C. HESS
- L. PLATT

### YR1951PG020

- B. HOLLAND
- J. McCLEAVE
- M. HOYT
- M. BASHAW B. WEAVER
- E. McKINLEY
- E. GOURLEY
- L. GOONEL
- D. JOHNSON
- E. ANKENY
- J. MURREN K. A.YERS
- W. BROWN

Juniors Pictures not shown: Larry Shepherd Andrew Crussell LaDean Jergenson JoAnn Taylor Junior Class Sponsors Mrs. Littell Mr. White

# YR1951PG021

# Sophomores

- J. STRICKLAND
- J. A. MARVICK
- J. CHRISTENSEN
- R. ORTON
- M. FAST
- C. CRUSSELL
- B. ANKENY
- G. WESTERLUND
- R. CLARK
- D. SCHROEDER
- V. BRANAN
- L. MINGE
- R. HENSEL A. Mc CULLOUGH
- D. LINN
- J. MARVICK
- C. FISHER C. FIDLER
- R. MARSH

# YR1951PG022

- M. HEDSTROM
- B. SCOTT

- M. JACKSON
- D. COOPER
- M. OLTMAN
- J. HENSEL
- M. CARLSON
- N. MAUDERLY
- R. KIMPSON
- S. LEE
- R. MURREN
- J. LEWELLEN
- S. SIERP
- D. MAINS
- C. WAAGE
- J. NOBLE
- S. PENRY
- V. CARTWRIGHT
- G. NORCROSS
- J. FAST

### YR1951PG023

- M. WALLACE
- Z. PETERMAN
- B. BROWN D. BLACK
- B. RAMBO
- M. DOLL
- J. PATTERSON
- A. CORE

Sophomores Pictures not shown:

- B. Anderson
- R. Means
- K. Smith
- L. Stille
- P. McDonald

Sophomore Class Sponsors

Mrs. White Mr. Reed

The Institution

### YR1951PG024

- Freshmen
- R. ACTON
- E. STANLEY
- R. WALLACE
- L. PATTERSON
- R. ANDREW
- J. MINGE
- J. WILLIAMS
- R. ANKENY
- J. BAUER

- G. SCOTT
- R. SPRAGUE
- M. WILLIAMS
- S. SHIELDS
- S. SCHANTZ
- G. HOSSMAN
- J. BLACK
- B. BERGREN
- B. STILL
- B. JAMES

#### YR1951PG025

- D. NIPPERT
- R. WIRTH
- V. ELSE
- G. GRAHAM
- R. MEANS
- A. BOSTEDER
- H. PROWETT
- A. ARBUCKLE
- S. CARMICHAEL
- D. KIMPSON
- D. ORTON
- C. STAHNKE
- D. KELLEY
- H. VANNAUSD LE
- V. CORE
- L. SHRIMPTON
- J. KEAT
- S. BLACK H. HALL
- J. MORIARITY

### YR1951PG026

- J. ENARSON
- E. HEDSTROM
- L. STUVICK
- B. RAINES
- J. KING
- E. BAKER
- B. BROWN
- J. McCULLOUGH
- M. COUCH
- J. ARCHER
- M. ANKENY R. BARR
- M. PETERSON
- Freshmen Pictures not shown: C. Hayes K. Stille D. Werner
- Freshman Class Sponsors Miss Rusk Miss Kolberg

#### Eighth Grade

Seventh Grade

TOP TO BOTTOM: Reading from left to right: Mr. Holstrom, Eklofe, Sierp, L. Moore, Marsh, N. Moore, Gourley, Mains, Olson, Bean, Hendry, Littell, Patterson, Minge, Enarson, Weiner, Reavis, Carlson, Overman, Selby, Fastenau, Burns, Garey, Lenhardt, Goodman, D. Ayers, C. Ayers, Peterson, Hefflefinger, Elswick, Belding, Mitchell, Rickles, Phillis, Palmquist, Smith, Darnold. Students not shown: Cordes, White.

TOP TO BOTTOM: Reading from left to right: Miss Hughes, Carmichael, McFarland, Burton, Freeman, Snow, Sanders, Littell, Draper, Beery, Raines, Sierp, Else, Stevenson, Richey, Johnson, Hall, Hossman, Forsythe, Sanders, Anson, Himiller, Rambo, Freeman, Baker, Goodwin, Bloom, Doan, Moriarty, Shipman, Ankeny, Means. Students not shown: Williams.

#### YR1951PG027

INSTRUCTOR - DONALD HOLSTROM INSTRUCTOR - MYRNA HUGHES NAMES GIVEN ON OPPOSITE PAGE:

#### YR1951PG028

8-Hi-Y Initiation

9-Bedford basketball game, here. 11-Coburg basketball game, here 12-Shenandoah basketball game, here 15-Dramatics Club Dance

16-I. S. D. basketball game, here 18-Band Party

19-Creston basketball game, here 23-Red Oak basketball game, here 24-County tournament

25-I. S. D. girls play here

26-Corning basketball game, here 29-Girls' Sectional Tournament 30-Glenwood basketball game, here FEBRUARY:

2-Clarinda basketball, here 6-Atlantic basketball, here 8-Chorus members to Creston 8-Stennett basketball game, there 9-Bedford basketball game, there 12-Preliminary Speech Contest 13-Valentine Dance

16-Shenandoah game forfeited 19-Boys' Sectional Tournament 21-F. F. A. Banquet

26-Girls go to State Tournament MARCH:

1-Film, "Jack London"

5-Speech Predistrict Contest 6-Hallelujah Quartet

15-Firemen's Ball

19-Boys go to State Tournament 22-Band Concert

22-Film, "Story of Prodigal Son" 23-Vacation, Good Friday 29-Carnival

APRIL:

4-Cooking School

9-Trumpeteers, assembly program 20-State Speech Contest

25-Drake Relays

MAY

4-Junior-Senior Prom

11-Seniors are through school 14-Baccalaureate

17-Graduation

18-End of school

Undecided dates Senior Skip Day Senior Glass Play

### YR1951PG029

Athletics

#### YR1951PG030

#### 1950 Football Season

Although the 1950 football team won only two games all year they were an improving team with each game. Losing many of their lettermen of last year they reported for practice a week before school started. The returning lettermen were: Charles Crouse, Earl Gage, Duane Patterson, Eddie Joe Roberts, Ted Bauer, Larry Shepherd, Jan Stickland, Dick Marsh, Dale Mains, and Duane Williams.

In the first game of the season the Blue Jays were defeated by a determined Bedford eleven. The final score was Bedford 26. Villisca 0.

Villisca, making a quick start and taking advantage of their opponents mistakes resulted in a victory for the Jays in their third game. The game proved to be a grueling battle to finish. The Jay eleven proved the stronger in the end and the game ended, Villisca 19, Lenox 7.

A powerful Atlantic team rolled over the inexperienced Jays 38-0.

In a raging downpour the 1950 Jays played one of their most memorable games. They lost the game to a muchly favored Creston team 12-0 but displayed great ability to hold their opponents. Playing in mud 2 to 3 inches deep, wearing soggy uniforms and sloshing off and on in puddles of water was one of the most remembered experiences of the year.

At Orient, Villisca posted its second win of the season by again striking early and then out playing the Orient team on defense. The final score, Jays 19, Orient 13.

Shenandoah, showing its mighty power overpowered the Jays by a score of 47 to 0. Leonard Gourley of Shenandoah, set a scoring record in the game by gaining a total of 36 points.

At the homecoming game the Red Oak Tigers defeated and outclassed the Blue Jay eleven. The score at the final gun was, Red Oak 49, Villisca 18.

Corning, led by Drexel Lundquist rolled over the Jays in the next game by a score

63 to 24. In this game Lundquist broke the record set by Gourley by racking up 50 points.

In the last game of the season the Jays and Clarinda Cardinals fought to a 7-7 tie in bitter cold weather. So ended the 1950 football season with a record of two wins, six losses and one tie.

#### YR1951PG031

CO-CAPTAIN E. J. ROBERTS
CO-CAPTAIN CHARLES CROUSE
Senior Lettermen
JAN STRICKLAND SOPHOMORE ALL-CONFERENCE HALFBACK
EARL GAGE
DAVID PENWELL
DUANE PATTERSON
TED BAUER
Coronation of The Homecoming Queen

#### VR1951PG033

BACK ROW: Reading from left to right: R. Acton, R. Wallace, D. Linn, G. Westerlund, J. Bauer, L. Jergenson, M. Hoyt, C. Fisher, R. Orton, J. Strickland, C. Hess, Coach Duane White, K. Smith, R. Means, A. Larson, T. Enarson, D. Mains.

Boys' Basketball Squad Girls' Basketball Squad

BACK ROW: Reading from left to right: M. Fast, J. Fast, C. Fidler, E. Burns, J. Enarson, J. Noble, C. Stahnke, B. Holland, Coach Donald Reed, S. Sierp, M. Wallace, M. Ankeny, L. Shrimpton, B. Fisher, M. Doll, A. McCullough, A. Arbuckle, R. Sprague, D. Kelley, D. McCullough.

#### YR1951PG034

Opponent H	ome		
Braddyville	67	37	
Creston	50	24	
Red Oak	75	26	
Corning	59	42	
Clarinda	51	45	
Braddyville	51	30	
Atlantic	59	22	
Bedford	68	47	
Shenandoah	63	55	
I. S. D. 76	56		
Creston	70	38	
Red Oak	76	46	
Corning	86	61	
Glenwood	57	44	
Clarinda	59	34	
Atlantic	80	48	
Bedfor d	89	46	
Shenandoah	(forfei	t by Villisc	a)

#### YR1951PG035

Activities

#### YR1951PG036

Homecoming Queen and Attendants

TOP ROW: READING FROM LEFT TO RIGHT-

Jo Ann Carlson, Peggy Day, Ruth Ackerman, Nancy Focht, Donna Sperry, Vicki Boyer, Dennis Reed.

### YR1951PG037

Y-Teen Cabinet

President-Jo Ann Taylor

Vice-President--Barbara Bontrager Secretary--Evie VcKinley

Corresponding Secretary--Norma Warner Program and Worship--Joyce Stahnke Service--Louise Bryson and Peggy Day Treasurer--Janice Hyink

Publicity--Dorothy Wright

Music--Betty Fisher and Janet Noble Social--Shirley Mattingly and Donna McCullough

Advisors--Miss Rusk and Mrs. Hyink

There are over ninety girls in our Y-Teen Organization and we have all had a big job to do. Some of our activities for the year have been: Gypsy Patteran, Freshman Recognition, Father-Daughter Banquet, Kiddie Party, Valentine Party, Mother-Daughter Tea, and Installation of new officers. But in this Y-W-C-A organization it is not all play by far. We have adopted a little Belgium girl and have her to support. We also send girls to Grinnell College each summer for a week to find out more about the Y. W.C. A. When there is a family who needs help we girls all work and see what we can do to help.

Some of our ways to raise money are: selling basketball pencils, selling popcorn at games, and after school, selling fireman's ball tickets, and many other things that keep us busy. We have had a lot of fun together and know they will keep on helping people and having fun for a great many years. The Y-Teens are under the supervision of Miss Rusk and Mrs. Hyink, two wonderful advisors.

Hi-Y

Clean Sport, Clean Speech, Clean Living, is the platform of the Hi-Y Boys. They try to spread this platform throughout the school and Christian Community. Every member was inducted into the club by a formal initiation, presented by Greenfield Hi-Y officers.

Hi-Y sponsored several dances after games. To help promote Boy-Girl relationship, a hay ride was sponsored for couples only. Many different discussions were held during the meetings.

Officers of the club are: Charles Crouse, President; Ted Bauer, Vice-President,

Timmie Larson, Secretary; Val Brannan, Treasurer; Delmar Wirth, Chaplin; Sponsor, Coach Don Reed.

#### YR1951PG038

Librarian Officers

Warner, Ackerman, Bryson, Mattingly.

Librarian's Club

Librarian's Club

The officers of Librarian's are: Norma Warner-President, Ruth Ackerman-Social Chairman, Louise Bryson-Vice-President, and Shirley Mattingly-Secretary.

The members are: Ruth Ackerman, Mary Jo Bashaw, Barb Bontrager, Louise Bryson, Peg Day, Barb Durbin, Mary Fast, Mary Hedstrom, Jacky Hensel, Jan Hyink, Marilyn Jackson, Peg Kimel, Nicky Larson, Arlene McCullough, Donna McCullough, Margaret McKee, Sam Mattingly, Lila Minge, Shirley Sierp, Joyce Stahnke, Jo Ann Taylor, Carolyn Waage, Marge Wallace, Nort Warner, and Dot Wright. Sponsor - Miss Gardner Cheerleaders

It is the cheerleaders job to assist in leading the students of V.H.S. in yells and promote school spirit at football and basketball games. They also have charge of pep-chapels before games. Because of so many basketball games one pep-chapel a week was held.

Homecoming is a great event for the cheerleaders as well as the rest of the students. Going out and getting material for a bonfire, making a dummy, and planning out the snake dance, keeps the cheerleaders busy. Shirley Sanford, Jo Ann Carlson, Peggy Day, Jo Ann Taylor, Andy Crussell and Delmar Wirth were the cheerleaders of this school.

**Projectors Club** 

The projectors club made a dark room this year, in which they learned how to develop pictures and print them. Also, the many different types of cameras were studied. Many members of the club were allowed to use the school's camera to take pictures of the school activities.

How to run the movie projector was studied. When a member passed the final test, he was allowed to run the projector during assembly or class movies.

Material for developing pictures were high, so money had to be raised. Here are some of the ways they made money; one dollar dues were paid, school dances after games, sold pictures they had developed and showed movies during noon hour to high school and grade school kids.

Officers are as follows: President, Gene Smith; Vice-President, Jerd Fiddler; Secretary-Treasurer, Howard Millers.

#### YR1951PG039

Junior Play Cast

**Dramatics Club** 

(FROM LEFT TO RIGHT:) Jo Ann Taylor, Wendell White, La Dean Jergenson, Carol Hess, Peggy Day, Everett Larson, (Front Row) Margaret McKee, Peggy Kimel, Nancy Focht, Donna Sperry, Mary Jo Bashaw, and Andrew Crussell.

They sponsored a square dance in which all the school was invited. Some of the members entered the Speech contest. A one-act play called "I Shall Be Waiting," and there were some readings.

Future Farmers of America

The Future Farmers of America is a national organization reaching from the state of Washington to Puerto

Rico, from the state of Maine to Hawaii. F. F.A. was organized in 1929. Villisca's Chapter started in 1938. Forty-five active members make up the Villisca Chapter this year.

Everyone in F. F. A. is kept very busy. Some of the events were: National Convention held at Kansas City, Missouri, October 11-13. State Convention held at Sioux City, Iowa, April 18-20. Parent-Son Banquet, Basketball games with neighboring chapters, hay rides, skating parties with Home Ec. girls and field trips. Some of the ways the F. F. A. boys made money were: selling garden seed, seed potatoes, and seed corn, Christmas cards, wrapping paper, ribbon and all occasion cards, selling programs at football games, testing seeds for purity and germination. Our largest money making project is the work day. This is a day set aside for all F. F. A. members to work and turn the wages into the treasury This finances the Parent-Son Banquet. Officers for the year are: President, Delmar Wirth; Vice-President, Vernon Lenhardt; Secretary, Bob Means; Treasurer, Wendell White; Reporter, John W imams; Sergeant-atArms, Duane Williams, Bradley Shafer; Advisor, Reno S. Smith.

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#### YR1951PG040

Music

Choir

TOP ROW: Reading from left to Right: Belding, Enarson, Ankeny, Smith, Ankeny, Norcross, Bauer, Hensel, Thomas, McKee, Holland, Johnson, Marvick, Marvick, Wirth, Hedstrom, Wallace, Sperry, Couch, Hyink, McKinley, Patterson, Hess, Archer, Finkle, Crussel, Hensel, Schroeder, Bergren, Patterson, Bontrager, Larson, Durbin, Bashaw, Taylor, Sanford, Wirth, Rambo, Fisher, Mains, Williams, Marsh, Graham, James, Kelley, Fisher, Noble. Director—Miss Ellen Kolberg.

3and

The marching band was very active during the fall playing for all the home football games, took part in the Nodaway Corn Carnival, and traveled to Shenandoah to watch the marching band contest held last fall. Concert band started at the end of the football season and presented two concerts during the year; the Christmas program was given December 14, and the Spring Concert was presented March ZO. Volcano

Editor-Ted Bauer

Assistant Editor--Duane Patterson Business Manager--Shirley Mattingly

Reporters

Mary Jane Ankeny Mary Jo Bashaw Barbara Bontrager Waverly Brown Louise Bryson Jo Ann Taylor Nancy Focht Margaret McKee Carol Hess

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LaDean Jergenson Gene Smith

Larry Shepherd Shirley Sanford David Penwell Ted Bauer

**Duane Patterson Shirley Mattingly** 

Commercial Class Prints Volcano

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### DEDICATION

The 1952 graduating class is proud to dedicate this yearbook to Miss Edith Rusk, Instructor of Mathematics and Psychology, Assistant Principal and Sponsor of the Y-Teens. We wish to offer this dedication as a token of appreciation for her years of guidance, service, and friendship to the students of Villisca High School. MISS EDITH RUSK Assistant Principal Math. & Psychology BA Simpson College MA University of Southern California

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University of N. Dak,

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College

Drake University MA Colorado State College of Educ.

Superintendent WILLIAM A. ANDERSON BA Tarkio College Vanderbilt University Alabama

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RALPH K. STRANGE Football Coach & Sr. Sponsor BS Ed. Northwest Mo. State Teachers M. Ed. University of

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Administration

### YR1952PG004

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MRS. WALTER HYINK English & Biology BA University of Michigan

MISS HELEN KUBL Commercial BA Marycrest College

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MISS PATRICIA WALTHER Home Economics BS Iowa State College

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MRS. VONA FRYREAR Office Secretary

DON PATTERSON Janitor

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#### YR1952PG006

Seniors

#### YR1952PG007

**EVERETT LARSON** 

"Pres"

Sr. Class Pres. 4

Boys' Basketball 1,2 Football 2,3, Baseball 1,2, F.F.A. 1, 2,3,4, F.F.A.Officer 4, Hi-Y 1,2,3,4, Hi/ Officer 4, Dramatics 3,4, Proj. Club 4, Proj. Club Officer 4, Student Council 3,4, Stu. C. Officer 4, Jr. Class Play 3, Class Officer 3,

One Act Play4

**PEGGY DAY** 

"Peg"

Sr. Class V. Pres. 4 Girls' Basketball 1, 2, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Y-Teen Cabinet 3,4, Dramatics 2, 3, 4, Library 2,3,4, Library Officer 3, 4, Student Council

Stu. C. Officer 3,4, Marching Band 1, Jr. Class Play 3, All-School Play 2, Home-Coming Attendant 3, Carnival Queen Attendant 2, Cheerldr. 2,3, Annual Staff 4, 'Pep Club 4.

**ELMO ANKENY** 

"Leroy"

Boys Basketball-1 Football-2,3, Baseball-1,2, F. F. A.-1, 2,3,4, F. F. A. Basketball-1,2,3,4, Hi-Y-1, 2.

BERNARD WEAVER

'Mother"

Sr. Class Sect. 4, Boys' Basketball 1, Student Council 4, Band Council & Officer 4, Concert Band

Marching 1.2.3.4.

Band 1,2,3,4, Choir 1,2,3,4, Boys' Glee Club 1,2, Octette 4, Orchestra 2,3, Pep

Band 1,2,3,4, All

State Choir 4, Home Room Officer 4.

MARY JANE ANKENY Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Y-Teens Cabinet 4, Library 4, Volcano 3, Volcano Staff 4, Choir 3,4, Girls' Glee Club 3,4.

WILLIAM BAKER "BIII"

Sr. Class Treas. 4, Football 3,4,Hi-Y Proj.Club 4, Class

Officer 3,

Staff 4.

MARY JO BASHAW

"Jerry MO Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Teen Cabinet 4, Dramatics 2,3,4, Drama Work 2,3,4, Library 2,3,4, Volcano 3, Volcano Staff 4, Jr. Class Play 3, Choir 3,4, Girls Glee Club 3,4, Prin-Sec. 4, One-act play 4, Pep Club 4. DALE ARCHER

"Archie Ball' Track 2, Hi-Y 2,3, Concert Band 1,2,3, 4, Marching Band 1, 2,3,4, Choir 2,3,4, Boys Glee Club 2,3, Octette 3.

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WAVERLY BROWN

"Wav" Y-Teens-1,2,3,4 Volcano-3 Volcano Staff-4

BARBARA BONTRAGER

"Barbie" Y-Teens-1,2,3,4 Y-Teen Cab.-3,4 Dramatics-3,4 Dramatics V. Pres.-4 Library-3,4 Volcano-1,3,4

Volcano Staff-3,4 Girls Glee C.-1,2,3,4 Triple Trio-3 Semette4

Annual Editor-4 Annual Staff-4 Pep Club-4

Pep Club Pres.-4

LOUISE BRYSON

"Louie" Y-Teens-1,2,3,4 Y-Teens Cab.-3,4 Library-2,3,4 Library Officer-3 Student Council-4 Volcano-3,4 Volcano Editor-4 Annual Staff-4 Pep Club-4

Pep Club Sec.-4

JO ANN CARLSON

"Jo" Y-Teens-1,2,3,4 Dramatics-2,3,4 Marching Band-1 Volcano-1,2,3,A Volcano Staff-3,4

Girls Glee C.-3 All School Play-2,3 Prin. Sec.-4 Homecoming Queen-4 Homecoming Atten.-3 Cheerleader-1,2,3

Pep Club-4

Letter Club-1,2,3

ELIZABETH CORBIN

"Liz" Y-Teens-1,2,3,4 Concert Band,1,2,3,4 Marching Band-1,2,3,4 Letter Club-3

Pep Club-4

ANDREW CRUSSELL

"Andy" Football-1,4 Football Man.-1 Track-1,2,3,4 F.F.A.-1

B.B.-1 Hi-Y-4 Dramatics-2,3,4 Dramatics Off.-3

Projection Club-3,4

Jr. Class Play-3

Choir-1,2,3,4 All School Play-2 Cheerleader-2,3 Letter Club-2,3,4

BARBARA DURBIN "Durb"

Girls B.B.-1,2 Y-Teens-1,2,3,4 Dramatics-2,3,4 Library-1,2,3,4 Band Council-4 Band Council Off.-4 Marching

Band-1,2,3,4 Jr. Class Play-3 Choir-1,2,3,4 Girls Glee C.-1,2,3,4 Octette-4

Prin. Sec.-4

All school Play-4 Pep Band-4

PATRICIA CLARK

"Corky" Y-Teens-1,2,3,4 Y-Teen Cab.-4 Library-4 Annual Staff-4 Pep Club -4 Y-Teen Play-3

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THOMAS ENARSON "Kute"

Boys B.B.-1,2,3,4, Football-1, Track1,2,4,Hi-Y-1,2,3, Concert Band-1,2,4, Marching Band-1, 2,3,4, Pep Band-1,2,

3,4, Band Soioist-1, 2,3,4, Choir-I,2,3,4, Boys G.C.-I,2,Octette 4, Vocal Solo-2,3,4, Carnival King Att.-3,

Letter Club-I,2, All State Choir-2,4.

JIRD FIDLER

"Gabby"

Dawson, Nebr.-1 Boys B.B.-2,3,4 Football-2,3,4 Baseball-2

Track-2,3,4

F.F.A. B.B.-3 Projection Club-3,4 Projection Club Off.-3

DOTTIE GAY "Don"

Baseball I,2, F.F.A& I,2,3,4, F.F&A& Basketball 2,3,4&

**EVELYN GOURLEY** 

"Ev"

Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Pep Club 4

NANCY FOCHT

"Myrt"

Girls B.B.-1,2 1-Teens-1,2,3,4 Dramatics-2,3,4 Dramatics Off.-4 Library-2,3,4 Library Officer-4 Volcano-3,4

Volcano Staff-4 Junior Class Play-3 All School Play-2,4 Class Officer (Sec.)-3 Homecoming Attendent-3, Carnival

Queen-3 Pep Club-4

**CAROL HESS** 

"Eli"

Boys Basketball-1,2, 3,4 Football-1,2,3,4 Baseball-2 Track-1 Hi-Y-1,2,3,4 Hi-Y Officer-2,4 Dramatic 3 Dramatics Officer-3 Student Council-3 Student Council Officer-3 Volcano-3 Junior Class Play-3 Choir-1,2,3 Boys Glee Club-1,2,3 Octette-2 All School Play 3 Class Officer (sec) 1 Home Room Officer-4

DEAN GAGE "Natty" Football Letter Club-1

MAURICE HOYT

"Mob"

Boys B&B.- 3,

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RICHARD KING "Nookie

LADEAN JERGENSON

"Jerk"

Boys Basketball 1,2,

3, Football 1,2,3,4, Baseball 1, Track 2,

3, F.F.A. 1, Hi-Y 1, 2,3,4, Dramatics 3,

4, Proj. Club 2, Volcano 3, Volcano Staff 4 Jr. Class Play 3, Choir 1,2,3,

4, Boys Glee C. 1,2, 3, One Act Play 3,4, Letter Club 4.

JANICE HYINK "Jan"

Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Teen Cabinet 3, 4, Library 2,3,4, Library Officer 2,Band Council 4, Band Officer 4, Concert Band 1,2,3,4, Marching Band 2,3,4, Band Soloist 1,2,3,4, Clarinet Trio 1,2,3, Clarinet Quartette 4 Volcano 1, Choir 2,

3,4, Girls Glee Club 2,3,4, Triple Trio 3 4, Orchestra 2, 3,4, Pep Band 2, 3, 4.

PEGGY KIMEL

"Peg"

Girls B.B.-1,2, Y-Teens-1,2,3,4 Dramatics-3,4,Library-2,3,4, Marcning Band-1, Volcano-3,4, Junior Class Play-3,

All-scnool play-3,4, Class Officer-1, Pep Club-4

DOROTHY JOHNSON

"Dot" Y-Teens-1,2,3,4, Dramatics-3, Concert Band-1,2,3,4, Marching Band-1,2,3,4, Clarinet Trio-

3, Clarinet Quartette-4, Cnoir-3,4, Girls G.C.-3,

4, Orchestra-3, Pep Band-2,3,4, Letter Club-3, Y-Teen Play-3.

BETSY ANN JOHNSON

"Beta"

Girls\* Basketball 1,

4. Y-Teens 1.2.3.4.

Y-Teen Cabinet 4

Student Council 4, Choir 4, Girls Glee Club 4, Triple Trio 4, Sextette 4, Octette 4, Soloist 4 All State Choir 4, Jr.

Class V. Pres.3.

CARMELITA LARSON "Nickie"

Girls B.B.-1, Y-Teens1,2,3,4, Y-Teen Cab.-4,

ALBERT LARSON Dramatics-3,4, Library-

"Slats" 2,3,4, Library Pres.-4,

Boys Basketball-1,2, Marching Band-1,Volcano-

3 Football-3 Student

3,4, Junior Class Play-3,

Council 2. Cnoir-3,4, Girls G.C.-3,4,

All-school play-3,4, Class Sec.-1, Pep Club-4,

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DONNA McCULLOUGH "Don"

Girls B.B.-3,4,YTeens-1,2,3,4, Y-Teen Cab.-3,4, Library-2,3,4, Marching Band-1,2,3,4, Annual Staff-4, Letter Club-3.

VERNON LENHARDT

Baseball 1,2,F.F.A. 1,2,3,4, F.F.A. Officer 2,3, F.F.A. Basketball 1,2,3,4,, Hi-Y 3,4, Class Officer 3 (Treas.). MARGARET McKEE "Maggie"

Y-Teens-1,2,3,4, Dramatic-3,4,Library-1,2.3,4,Library Off.-2,Student Council-2, Volcano-3, Volcano Staff-4, Jr. Class Play-3,Choir-1,2,3,4, Girls G.C.-1,2,3,4, Prin. Sec.-44, One-act play-3, Annual Staff-4 Pep Club-4 EVIE MCKINLEY

"Bubbles" Girls B.B.-1,2 Y-Teens-1,2,3,4 Y-Teen Cab.-3,4 Library-4 Volcano Publ.-3,4 Choir-1,2,3,4 Girls G.C.-1,2,3,4 Triple Trio-3 Letter Club-1 Pep Club-4 Pepe Club Off.-4 Annual Staff-4

DAVID MINGE

"Davv"

F.F.A.-1,2,3,4, Dramatics-4, Concert Band-2,3,4, Marching Band-2,3, 4, Band Soloist-2,3, Volcano-4, Choir-4, All-school play-4, Pep Band-4.

DELBERT SCHROEDER "Red"

Hi-Y-4, Projection Club-1,2,3,4, Choir-1,2,3,4, Boys G.C. -1, 2, Pep Club-4.

LEROY PLATT "Meathead" Transfer 1,2 Projection Club-4.

ELLEN PHILLIS "Phil"

Girls' Basketball 1, 2,4, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4 Volcano Publication 3,4, Pep Club 4.

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LEE SCOTT "Scotty"

Boys B.B. Man.-1, Football-1,2, 3,Track-1,F.F.A.- 1, Hi-Y-1,2,3,4, Proj. Club-3,4, Annual Staff-4.

BRADLEY SHAFER \*Brad"

F. F. A. 1,2,3,4, F. F. A. Officer 3,4, F. F. A. B. B.B.1,3,4, Hi-Y 1, Projection Club 3,4,

LARRY SHEPHERD "Shep"

B. B. 1,2,3,4, Football 1,2,3,4, Baseball 2, Hi-1 1,2,3,4, Dramatics 3, Volcano 4, Choir 1,2, One act play 3, Letter Club 2.3.4. Annual Staff 4.

RICHARD THOMAS "Popcorn"

Boys Basketball 1 F.F.A. 1,2, Hi-Y 1, 2,3,4, Boys Glee C. 2,3.

DONNA SPERRY

"Don"

Avoca High-1,2,Y-Teens-3,4,Dramatics-3,4, Concert Band-3,4, Marching Band-3,4,Jr. Class Play-3, Choir-3,4, Girls G.C.-3,4,Prin.- Sec.-4, Homecoming Attendent-3,4,One-act play-3,4,

MARGARET WAGAMAN

"Marg

Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Dramatics 4, Student Council 3, Volcano 3,4, Pep Club 4.

WENDELL WHITE

"Curly"

F.F.A.-1,2,3,4,F.F.A. Off. -2,3,F.F.A. B.B1,2,3,4, Hi-Y-3,4, Proj. Club-3, Proj. Club Off. 3, Volcano-4, Jr. Class Play-3. One-act play-4.

**DUANE WILLIAMS** 

"Bulldog"

Football .1,2,3,4, Track-1,3, F.F.A. -1,2,3,4, F.F.A. Off. -2,3, Proj. Club-3,4, Letter Club-1,2,3,4, One-act play-4.

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#### Class History

On the first of September, 1939, 21 angelic little children started on their careers of crime and destruction in the Villisca schools. In kindergarten, we were taught by Miss Gamble. Our class was the only one which ever bad to go all day. I always wondered if those naps they made us take were for our rest, or for the benefit of our poor worn-nerved teacher.

On to the first grade with Miss Carpenter as our teacher. Pat Clark and Jean Stamps got into a fist fight this year. Frosty Patton entered from Nodaway and immediately got into it with the teacher. After the first tough nine weeks we were divided into two groups. The teacher couldn't stand us all at one time.

In the second grade we took a train ride to Stanton. We each had a dime. The ticket cost nine cents, and we were all very thrilled about that whole penney we had to spend in Stanton. This year Maurice and Bernard got their first big crush. Unfortunately they both picked the same girl. So like gentlemen they agreed to keep her in partnership. The object of their affection was a little gal in kindergarten. Lou Ann, do you remember that? In third grade we bad Miss Olson who, after teaching our class for about a half year, decided that nothing could be any worse, so she joined the WACs. Mrs. Gray took over from there and valiently pushed us through. This was the year that we gained that sweet, quiet, little boy, Larry Shepherd. The first recess he was here, Jean Stamps backed him up against the wall to kiss him. He always said that he didn't have a thing to do with it, but we know, don't we Larry? Third grade seemed to be a very romantic year. Pat Clark and Billy Span also had a big case on. This year Dale Archer left us to go to Belvue, Nebraska.

In fourth grade we had Miss Dodson who left at the half to get married. Mrs. Wilson took over from there. New faces this year were, Shirley Sanford, Dean Gage, Barb Bontrager, Barb Durbin, Sherold Wisecup and Delbert Schroeder. This year we took the nature hike and captured a nice slimy little green snake for a pet. We insisted on keeping it, over the protest of our teacher. This year Jean Stamps moved to Mason City. In the fifth grade we were taught by Miss Mercer, who must have been very brave. She managed to endure us for the entire year. This was the year that Peg Kimel stabbed Leonard Peak in the neck with a compass, because he declared his true love was Shirley Sanford. We had a May Festival that year. Burt Larson and Barbie Bontrager were attendants to the King and Queen. Pat Clark moved to California. Dale Archer reunited with the class.

The sixth grade was a fairly quiet year. Miss Miller was our teacher. This year we put on the operetta, "Rumplestiltskin." We then learned how shapely Larry's legs were. Will anyone ever forget how the socks we wore, in the operetta, bagged at the knees??? Pat Clark re-entered this year.

At last we had reached the building way over on the other side of town. Boy, did we think we were wheels. In two weeks this opinion was changed. The new faces this year were Ellen Phillis, Peg Day, Elmo Ankeny, and one of the most memorable events of the year was when James Higgins was knocked out of his seat by Miss Miller, and landed in the aisle on his head.

This next year was a very eventful one. We were now kings of the Junior High, and we tried very hard to act like it. New kids this year were Margaret Wagaman, Jo Ann Carlson, Maggie McKee, Jo Ann Taylor, Carmelite Larson, Andy Crussell, Vernon Lenhardt, Nancy Focht, and Richard Thomas. The big romances this year were Jo Ann Carlson and Larry Shepherd, Sherold Wisecup and Peg Kimel, and Lee Scott and Peg Day. Our eighth grade party was very memorable, with the theme of "Mardi Gras." Also, there are about seven kids who didn't graduate until they had gone an extra day and improved their knowledge of poetry. It never pays to go fishing when you should be at a class play. Peg K., Peg D., Jo Ann C., Maurice H., Larry S., Sherold W., and Lee S. were reminded of this for quite some time.

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In the fall of "48" we finally reached the third section of the long climb to what we hoped would come to an end in "52." The new faces we noticed this year were the following: Mary Ankeny, Bill Baker, Mary Jo Bashaw, Waverly Brown, Louise Bryson, Elizabeth Corbin, Donna McCullough, Janice Hyink, Evelyn Gourley, LaDean Jergenson, Betsy Johnson, Everett Larson, David Minge, Bradley Shafer, Wendell White, and Duane Williams. The girls were the most proud of all after winning the Y-Teen ticket sales. This year we also remember when the water fountain just happened to break. It just happened that a few freshmen girls were getting a drink there and flooded the main hall.

Our sophomore year we gained Jird Fidler, Richard King, and LeRoy Platt. Will anyone ever forget the sophomore party? We know that Mary Jo never will.

Our junior year was very full and busy one. Our class play was "Clementine," with Nancy F. in the lead. We also had a stand in the Armory at all basketball games. This year we received our class rings which we went around flashing in front of everyone. Our junior-senior banquet theme was the "Gay Nineties." Donna Sperry joined our class this year. We also had four girls in the Homecoming ceremonies this year. They were Nancy F., Peg D., Jo Ann C., and Donna S..

Well, we are now almost to the end of the line. Graduation will soon be here. This year we lost Shirley Sanford, Jo Ann Taylor, Sherold Wisecup, and John Murren. Our sponsors were "Doc" Strange and Mr. Sanders. Some of the events we have had so far this year are Homecoming, with JoAnn C. as queen and Nancy F. And Donna S. as her senior attendants. We quite well remember our senior square dance. Don't forget how tired and worn out our sponsors and their wives mere the next day. Of the twenty-one kids who started in kindergarten only eight are left. They are Burt Larson, Maurice Hoyt, Pat Clark, Evie McKinley, Bernard Weaver, Tom Emerson, Dale Archer, and Peg Kimel. Now we have been here for about thirteen years and as good things mist come to an end, we must bid a happy, yet sad farewell.

#### Class Will

We, the Senior Class of Villisca High School, cream of the intellect, do hereby bequeath all our property and our properties yet in our possession to the fortunate heirs listed below. The heirs, willing or unwilling, are to receive said property and/or properties and shall not dispose thereof in less than one year's time. Let it be known that this, our last will and testament, shall in no way or ways be altered, changed, added to or subtracted from, or otherwise defaced, lest the villian be subjected to punishment under the law of this, the State of lowa.

#### CHIEF EXECUTOR:

We appoint Ralph "Doc" Strange chief executor of our will.

# ARTICLE I;

To Mr. LaFollette we will our little red pencils in bookkeeping class.

We prescribe a box of nerve pills, a bottle of colorback, and a constant supply of gum for "Coach" Humphrey. We are sure that he will need them for future athletic contests.

To Miss Gardner we will our "Quiet" study halls and hopes for more speaking.

To Mr. Anderson we leave our broken test tubes.

To Mr. Sanders we leave our flimsy excuses for admit slips.

To "Canoe we leave our dirty shoes and lost paraphernalia.

To our school, which we will never forget, we leave our books, as we carry with

us her good name and the principles for which she stands.

# ARTICLE II,

The freshmen we leave our quiet homeroom periods. (Where are my ear plugs?!) To the sophomores we will our ability to bluff the teachers.

To the juniors we bequeath our dignity, honor and domineering skill.

# ARTICLE III

Peg Kimel and Louise Bryson will their diamonds to Jo Ann Marvick and Janet Christenson. With leap year and a diamond backing you we hope you have better luck. BARBARA BONTRAGER wants to leave her small feet to

William Dunn. You will have to get smaller boots, Willie.

Margaret McKee wills her ability to talk all of the time to Duane Nippert.

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Nancy Focht is leaving Dick Marsh her false tooth. He only needs it in the football season.

Dorothy Johnson wills her blond hair to Ronnie Wallace. It will cut down on the expense of peroxide.

Donna McCullough gladly leaves her three sisters to Mary and Joan Fast. She hopes that they do you more good than they did her.

Peg Day leaves her four eyes to Mr. Anderson. As if he ever missed seeing anything now.

Wagaman wills her night life to Ruth Sprague. Be careful to get in

before the early morning hours. Marg was -- when she couldn't help it.

Jo Ann Carlson and Carol Hess leave their ability to catch each other in the halls to Shirley Sierp and Dale Mains

Bill Baker wills his teacher's love to Robert Andrew. Maybe you'll be able to get A'S without trying now.

Lee Scott wants Valjean Branan to have his noon taxi service. Don't forget Carolyn! She isn't accustomed to walking!

Donna Sperry leaves her figure to Richard Cordes. You make such a cute Mae West.

Wendell White wills his girl friends to Dwight Orton. Think you can handle a few more?

Carmelite Larson leaves her quiet ways to Ellen Hedstram. You know bashfulness is quite becoming, but Nickie never found out.

Elmo Ankenv leaves his good driving ability to Mrs. Johnson. By the way, his speciality is one arm driving. Jird Fidler leaves his gift-of-gab to Jackie Keats. Keep it down to a medium

#### roar.

Dale Archer wills his billiard winnings to Duane Cooper. You'll never lose a game now.

Bert Larson leaves his height to James Black.

Delbert Schroeder and LeRoy Platt generously leave their Captain Video uniforms to Ronnie Means and Melvin Oltmann. They are usually sailing around in a cloud anyway.

Tom Enarson leaves his hotrod to his sister, Elaine. It is best to keep it in the family, since no one else would accept it.

Bernard Weaver wills his cornet to Allen Marsh. He seems to have enough wind for several of than.

Bradley Shafer leaves his appetite to Candy Stahnke. He hopes it does you more good than it did him.

Andy Crussell wills his seat in General Science to Alfred Hendry. I think you'll like it, Alfred. The class is all girls.

Richard King leaves his royal name to Bob Scott. May you rule over your subjects with an iron hand.

Barbara Durbin and Duane Williams want their love for each other to be passed on to Janet Noble and Darwin Linn. It has seen them through many a boring Class.

Vernon Lenhardt leaves his FFA basketball ability to Duane Vannausdle. You'll be the star of the team now, bat watch out for flying eggs and tomatoes.

Richard Thomas leaves his care-free spirits to Mr. Sanders.

LaDean Jergenson wills his oar to Junior Hinge, but see that you don't take the same people to the same place! Larry Shepherd villa his ability to go with only one girl to Jan Strickland.

Betsy Johnson wills her birdseed to Nova Lea Elswick. Metropolitan, bore she comes.

David Minge wills his quiet ways and height to Gene Westerlung. Please make good use of them.

Evie McKinley and Pat Clark leave their close companionship to the other Siamese twins, Shirley Black and Alice Bosteder.

Elizabeth Corbin wills her boyfriends to Beverly Bergran. She says you can never have too many.

Dean Gage leaves his good naturedness and handsome appearance to Buddy Carlson. Mary Jo Bashaw wills her bold statements to Lila Hinge.

Evelyn Gourley wants Reno Smith to have her gum. Don't be selfish. Pass it to your classes. There is plenty.

Everett Larson is leaving his nickname, 'Prez," to Dewey Fastenau. You've got a good start, but just don't try for Y-Teens - president, that is!!

Waverly Brown wills her humorous disposition to Carol Jean Smith. We hope you do as well as Waverly has. Page Sponsors - TAYLOR SERVICE STATION-CO-OP & MARVICK FEED MILL

Ellen Phyllis leaves her tardiness to Carol Patterson. You needn't hurry Carol,

fifteen minutes off your noon hour isn't much!!!

Maurice Hoyt wills his place in line at the principals office to John Bryant.

It is badly worn John so take good care of it.

Donnie Gay leaves his lovers license to Glen Hossman. Watch out for the worn spots, I hear he has used it.

Janice Hyink leaves her Buick and a tank full of gas to Coach La Follette. You'll probably have to pick "Doc" Strange up when his diesel guits!

Janet Ankeny leaves her A's to all the failing underclassmen. There has been too many on the failing lists.

Class Prophecy

As we look deep into the future we find the graduated class of 1952 striving to make its mark in the world. First we find Jane Ankeny, the new owner of the Sierp Oil Station.

Back in 1952 we all knew Louise Bryson and Peggy Kimel as the diamond kids.

Well, they're still diamond kids and still waiting for Larry and Leonard.

Margaret McKee is the leader of the Women's Christian Temperance Union in

Tenvill. This kept her so busy she never had time to marry.

Reverend Tom Enarson is pastor of the Hackelbarney Local Church. Dale Archer may be found passing the collection plate.

Do you feel ill? Do you feel as if you might kick the bucket? If you do, try

Doctor Gage's Little Pepper-Upper Pills. (Paid Advertisement)

Larry Shepherd has acheived his mark in the world by inventing a typewriter that makes no mistakes.

Carmelita Larson, known to her employees as the "Double Clutching Kid" now owns a nationally known trucking line, 'Double Clutchers Incorporated".

You all remember Donna Sperry and what a slim trim figure she had. Well she

has acquired' a job modeling----dog collars-.

As you all remember, back in 1952 Jo Ann Carlson and Carol Hess were going together. Now they are very happily married and living with their fifteen kids.

Dorothy Johnson jilted Bernard Weaver for Richard Thomas, the greatest thing

that hit Hollywood since Donald Duck. Bernard has joined the French Foreign Legion.

Bradley Shafer, after dieting for the last twenty years, has finally been accepted by the Esquire Model Agency.

Margaret Wagaman has just returned from a tour of United States. She was looking

for that certain someone. Well, as luck will have it, she returned to her 61d home-

town, Villisca, and found that "Moby" Hoyt was really the "man of her life."

After a fifteen year engagement, Duane Williams finally convinced Barb Durbin

that he was the man for her. They are now happily married and running William's

Service Station. Nancy Focht is very happily married to a certain someone from Nodaway. You

can go visit her any time, but be careful that you don't run into one of her dozen

kids. Nancy always did believe in "cheaper by the dozen."

You all remember Everett Lamm back in "52." He is now running for President of the United States.

La Dean Jergensen is now running Jergensen's Speedy Escort Service in Paris.

Betsy Johnson now has her own musical show on radio. We find none other than Barbie Bontrager singing commercials.

Delbert Schroeder now owns a men's apparrel store. His regular customer is none other than "Doe" Strange. It seems as though "Doc" likes Delbert's brand of

Lee Scott, who has worked for the past 20 years at the Central Market as a clerk, has finally received a promotion. He is now butcher.

Peggy Day is an old maid schoolteacher at old Sunny Slope School.LeRoy

Platt, "our model air plane boy," is still building model air planes. Dick

King is now living on his 14,000 acre chicken farm with his wife, the former Evie McKinley.

David Minge is head chef at Ciro's in Hollywood. Wendell White may be found there as the head waiter.

Donnie Gay is now head driver at the Grandview Track in Omaha, and we also

find gm Clark, his top mechanic. Ellen

Phillis is Television's favorite woman wrestler. We find as her

manager none other than Vernon Lenhardt.

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Donna McCullough decided when she graduated from dear old VHS sne would like to be a member of the All-American Red Head B.B. Team. So she dyed her hair red. Now she is the manager as she became too old to

Evelyn Gourley is now owner of a gum factory. She got so tired of having to buy it for her friends. Its name is Gourley's Yummy Gummy.

Waverly Brown is now a world famous poet. She got her start back in 1952 when she wrote tne class poem.

Just ready to open her second night club in Morton Mills we find none other than Mary Jo Bashaw.

Elizabeth Corbin set her tabs for Albert Larson. She got so tired of waiting for "Slats" to ask her to marry him she finally "popped the question" herself. He accepted.

Janice Hyink is now President of the Colorado Women's College in Denver.

The new ambassador of the United States is none other than Jird Fidler. Bill Baker is now the nead artist for S E E magazine. Many he grad-

uates of 52' are loval subscribers.

Though Elmo Ankeny is getting rather old for such vigorious activity, he still enjoys driving his notrod around the countryside.

Andrew Crussell is still living on his ten acre farm, south of Villisca, raising his favorite crop, cane.

Remember When

Top, Left to Right, E. Ankeny, D. Mains, L. Shepherd, D. Marsh, G. Westerlund, Front, J. Bauer, J. Strickland, R. Means, T. Enarson, K. Smith, C. Fisher.

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# Class Poem

All around the class rooms, We wondered for four years, Just contented to let the knowledge, Seep in and out our ears.

When our teachers were around, We loved 'em like we should, Things never got too bad, But they never got too good. We know Betsy who likes to sing, And appear upon the stage, And Bryson and Kimel have rings, To show they are engaged. Wendell White and Andy Crussell, Were really a sensation, When they discussed the problems, Of our United Nations. Jo Ann Carlson and Carol, Donna Sperry and La Dean, When it comes to going steady, They were really on the beam. If Elmo Ankeny had a car, That was as quiet as he Oh, what a combination, The two would surely be. E.P., E.G., E.C., These initials we are tellin', Because they belong to Evelyn, Liz, and Ellen. Barbara and Mary Jane, Want to be nurses, To make patients well, And do away with hearses. Bert's the slim one in our grade, His nickname is Slats, His middle name is Glade Oops! Wasn't supposed to tell that. David was good at physics, Lee was a whiz at math, But it really added something, To hear McKee laugh. LeRoy Platt and Donnie Gay, We hope their friendship never wains, And when this term is ended, We'll find them flying planes. Everett is the president, Peggy Day is the vice, We're glad they joined us, Because they're both so nice. Wagaman is really athletic, Especially in P. T., If she continues to practice, She'll be able to touch one knee. So when the term is ended, And when summer's drawing nigh, Donna Lou and Nancy Focht, Will leave here with a sign. Delbert is head man, At a clothing store, He has to arrive early, His job is sweep the floor. Dorothy Johnson is the girl, The boy is Bernard. Weaver, Barbara Durbin and Duane, Are not so bad either. Bill and Dean are the quiet type, They seldom say a word, But when they get out of school, They'll sure make themselves heard. Richard King and Maurice Hoyt, Were always such good guys, One was noted for his mouth, The other for his eyes. And of course you know that, Tom always used his head, To lay upon his desk top, Instead of pencil lead. Bradley Shafer likes to joke, In Nickie friendship glows, Mary Jo has pretty eyes, Pat and Evie dote on shows. Jird was the first of the seniors, To take his physical exam, We know we'll miss him, While he works for Uncle Sam. Dale Harold Archer, Nearly always late to school, Was known to tell the teacher, "Had to have a game of pool". I guess Larry Shepherd, Must be the class clown, Even on the teacher's face, He could brush away a frown. She likes a lot of sunshine, She gets a nice tan, There is no better swimmer, Than our girl Jan. Vernon Lenhardt and Richard Thomas, Are out for a good time, I'll have to leave a blank here, I can't think of a rhyme.

To write another verse, Waverly could not do,

Because it would get worse and worse, And so this poem is through. Page Sponsor - JOHN DUNN AUTO SALES

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- 1. Vacation Time,
- 2. Dick and Prez,
- 3. Sisters in Crime,
- 4. Glamour Girl,
- 5. Beauty and the Beast, 6. Charles Atlas done it, 7. Results of the senior square dance, 8. Track WORKout, 9. Every girl should have a hobby, 10. A trip to Grinnell, 11. Donna, 12. Men's Work, 13. Ninth Period, 14. Back to Nature, 15. What an improvement?

( ANSWER TO

**GUESS 'WHO)** 

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- 1. Delbert Schroeder, 2. Margaret Wagaman, 3. Bill Baker, 4. Mary Jane Ankeny, 5. David Minge, 6. Donna McCullough, 7. Margaret McKee, 8. Pat Clark, 9. Ellen Phillis,
- 10. Nancy Focht, 11. Evelyn Gourley, 12. Jo Ann Carlson, 13. Waverly Brown, 14. Carmelita Larson, 15. Doc Strange, 16. Peggy Kimel, 17. Peggy Day, 18. Evie McKinley,
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Junior High

Eighth Grade

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Seventh Grade

Top, left to right, Miss Langford, Overman, Zickafoose, Williams, Fisher, Lynn,

Pattengill, Shipman, Ashmore, Anson, Moser, Archer, Johnson, Poston.

Middle, McFarland, Freeman, Hedstrom, Hedstrom, Brown, Means, Finkle, Frazee, Smith, Sprague, Burns, Arterburn, Wheeler.

Front, Falk, Buffon, Clark, Platt, Adair, Palmquist, Patterson, Hoyt, Lewis. Webster, Sprague, Doggett. Sixth Grade

Top, left to right, Mrs Strange, Oltman, Brown, Klesath, Croxdale,

Gray, Sidwell, Gary, Stifle, Archer, Currin, Badwell.

Middle, Gary, Scott, Magneson, Carlson, Kear, Bauer, Christie, Richey, Smith, Erickson, Branan, Noble, Lines, First, Brown, Arterburn, Weaver, TenEyck, Burns, Weil, Ankeny, Nordyke, Findley. Mack. Sprague.

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Athletics

#### YR1952PG032

Football

Bill Baker Co-Captain

Carol Hess Co-Captain

LaDean Jergenson

Jird Fidler

**Duane Williams** 

**Andrew Crussell** 

Larry Shepherd

With two top-notch coaches, "Doc" Strange and Fred Humphrey, the Villisca Bluejays started a new season of football. Although they won only two games, they showed a lot of fire and teamwork as the season progressed.

The two games which Villisca won came at the end of the season with victories

in the homecoming game with Clarinda, by a score of 12 to 6, and in the Lenox game by a score of 20 to 7.

Of course the homecoming game was the most thrilling of the season. Villisca scored in the first quarter on a line plunge by Baker, and Strickland scored in the third quarter on an end sweep. Clarinda scored on a pass in the third quarter. Villisca bad previously held them for four downs after a Blue jay fumble on the first down.

In the Lenox game, Villisca had one touchdown called back in the first quarter

after a 65 yard run by Strickland, but caught fire and won out at the end, 20 to 7.

The Seniors playing on the team were Carol Hess, Duane Williams, Bill Baker, Andy Crussell, LaDean Jergenson, and Larry Shepherd. Carol Hess was a two-year letterman at end and was one of the co-captains. Bill Baker, another two-year man, played in the backfield and was the other co-captain. Duane Williams played in the backfield for two years and was moved to guard this year, where be did a fine job. Larry Shepherd was another backfield man, playing at quarterback for three years. Andy Crussell came out in his Senior year, after a long layoff due to a back injury in his freshman year. LaDean Jorgenson, another one-year man, did a fine job at halfback.

VILLISCA BLUEJAYS FOOTBALL RECORD FOR 1951

Villisca 6 Bedford 20 Villisca 0 Atlantic 19

Villisca 0 Shenandoah 21
Villisca 0 Glenwood 39
Villisca 31 Corning 33
Villisca 0 Creston 38
Villisca 6 Red Oak 19
Villisca 12 Clarinda 6
Villisca 20 Lenox 7

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#### Basketball

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Left to right, R. Strange, J. Black, J. Minge, D. Fastenau, J. Goodman, C. Sierp, L. Stuvick, G. Hossman, R. Clark, R. Gourley, P. Johnson, O. Doll, V. Else, D. Weiner. Manager.

Captain Larry Shepherd

Villisca 56 Stanton 22 Villisca 33 Glenwood 49

Villisca 23 Farragut 57 Villisca 54 I. S. D. 41

Villisca 31 Clarinda 32 Villisca 64 Clarinda 52

Villisca 42 Bedford 34 Villisca 33 Corning 51

Villisca 43 Corning 40 Villisca 32 Atlantic 36

Villisca 29 Atlantic 42 Villisca 34 Creston 57

Villisca 38 Creston 54 Villisca 33 Shenandoah 40

Villisca 62 Shenandoah 32 Villisca 44 Red Oak 42

Villisca 36 Red Oak 43 Villisca 29 Glenwood 57

Villisca 41 Red Oak 59

(Sectional)

Total Points: Villisca 757 Opponents 840 Ave. Per Game: Villisca 39.8 Opponents 44.2

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Girls Basketball

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Activities

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Hi-Y Club

Hi-Y Officers

Left to right, Hess-Secretary, Strickland-Vice-President, Larson-President, Westerlund-Treasurer, Holstrom-Advisor

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F.F.A.

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Left to right - White, reporter, Carlson, Sgt. at Arms, Shafer, Sgt. at Arms, Williams, Secretary, Means, Vice President, Larson, President, Westerlund, Treasurer, Mr. Smith, Advisor

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**Projection Club** 

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# Band

JANICE HYINK Band President

**BARBARA DURBIN Band Secretary** 

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Front, V. Phillis, R. Selby, S. Draper, R. Gray, R. Means, B. Ankeny, D. Mingo,

N. Christie, S. Sierp, P. Poston, J. Palmquist, C. Lenhardt, P. Rickles, S. Shantz, M. Ankeny, J. Sanders, B. James.

# PEP BAND

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Front, R. Means, J. Palmquist, D. Mingo, M. Ankeny, S. Shantz,

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- M. Wallace, C. Larson, R. White, B. Johnson, J. Enarson, B. Bergren,
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Volcano

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Beanie the Bluejay PRESENTS

" BIG PAYOFF"

(DEDICATION)

The Class of 1953 wishes to dedicate this annual to Mr. Fred Humphrey. As basketball coach, Mr. Humphrey has led the Bluejays through one of the most successful seasons in the history of VHS, and his help has also contributed to the accomplishments of the football and track teams. His ability as a teacher of World History, Health, and Boys' Physical Education is as outstanding as his aptitude for coaching, and he presents a personality and character which serves as an inspiration and example for all of the students in school.

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Beanie the Bluejay PRESENTS What's My Line (SENIORS)

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RICHARD ORTON Senior Class Treasurer; Valentine Dance King 4; Basket-

ball 1-4; Football 1,2,4; Track 24; FFA 1-4; Hi-Y 1-4; Jr. Class Play 3; Letter Club 2-4.

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ARLENE McCULLOUGH Girls' Basketball 1; Girls' Basketball Manager 2,3; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3,4; Y-Teen President 4; Dramatics 3,4; Dramatics Officer 3,4; Library 1-4; Student Council 3; Marching Band 1-3; Class Officer 3; Homecoming Queen's Attendant 4; Valentine Dance queen's Attendant 4; Carnival queen's

MARY FAST Girls' Basketball 1-3; Y-Teens 1-4; Dramatics 3,4;

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# JOAN EAST

Girls' Basketball 1-3; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3; Library 1-4; Marching Band 1-4; Jr. Class Play 3; Girls' Glee Club 3; Pep Club 3.

# DALE MAINS

Basketball 1-4; Football 1-4; Baseball 1; Track 2-4; Hi-Y 1-4; Dramatics 3; Student Council 3,4; Volcano 3,4; Choir 1-4; Boys' Glee Club 1-4; Boys' quartette 4; Octette 3; Jr. Class President 3; Letter Club 1-4; All State Choir 1,3; Home Room Officer 4; Madrigal 4.

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Football 1-4; Track 2; FFA 1-4; FFA Officer 3,4; FFA Basketball 1-4; Hi-Y 2-4; Hi-Y Secretary 4; Dramatics 3,4; Projection Club 4; Projection Club Officer 4; Volcano 3,4; Jr. Class Play 3; Letter Club 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Pep Club 3.

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Girls' Basketball 1,2; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 2,4; Dramatics 3,4; Dramatics Officer 4; Volcano 3,4; Jr. Class Play 3; Choir 1-4; Girls' Glee Club 1-4; Twelvetette 1; Triple Trio 2; Sextette 3; Trio 4; Homecoming queen's Attendant 3; Valentine Dance queen's Attendant 4; Cheerleader 3,4; Annual Staff 4; All State Choir 3,4; Pep Club 3; Trio 2-4; Madrigal 4.

#### VALJEAN BRANAN

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Marching Band 1-3; Jr. Class Play 3; Choir 1-4;

Girls' Glee Club 1-4; Twelvetette 1; Trio 2-4;

Triple Trio 2; Sextette 2; Madrigal 4; Alltate Choir 3,4; Soloist 2-4; All—School Play 2; One—Act Play 3; Orchestra 1,2; Pep Band 1,2; Annual Staff 4; Sax quartette 1.

NORMAN PIERSON Dramatics 3,4; Dramatics Contests 3,4; Concert

Band 3,4; Marching Band 3,4; Band Soloist 3,4; Jr. Class Play 3; One Act Play 3; Orchestra 3; Pep Band 3,4;

MISS HELEN KUHL Senior Class Sponsor; Commercial Teacher; Girls'

P.T. Teacher.

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WILLIAM ANDERSON Football 2; FFA 1-4; FFA Basketball 1; Hi-Y 1-4; Dramatics 1-4; Projection Club 4; Student Council 4; Volcano 3,4; Choir 1-4; Boys' Glee Club 1-4; All-school Play 1-3; Class Officer 1; One-Act Play I-3; Annual Staff 4;. All-State Choir 4; Pep Club 3;

Madrigal 4; Boys' quartette 4.

MARY LOU HEDSTROM Y-Teens 1-4; Girls' Basketball 3; Girls' Basketball Manager 4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Dramatics 3,4; Dramatics Contests 3,4; Library Officer 3; Library 2-4; Volcano 3,4; Junior Class Play 3; Choir 1-4; Girls' Glee Club 1-4; Sextette 4; Class Officer 1; Annual Staff 4; Madrigal 4.

RONALD CLARK

Boys' Basketball 1-4; Football 2-4; Baseball 1; Track 2-4; Hi-Y 1-4; Dramatics 1,2; Projection Club 1-4; Jr. Class Play 3; Choir 1-4; Boys' Glee Club 4; Letter Club 3,4; All-State Choir 4; Pep Club 3.

MARY DOLL

Girls' Basketball 1-4; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3,4; Dramatics 3,4; Pep Club 3.

LILA MINGE

Girls' Basketball 1; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Dramatics 3,4; Library 2-4; Volcano 3,4; Girls' Glee Club 4; All-School Play 1; Principal's Secretary 4.

DWAINE COOPER

Boys' Basketball 4; FFA 1-4; FFA Basketball 1-3; Hi-Y 1,4; Volcano 3,4; Pep Club 3.

BETTY ANKENY

Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Dramatics 1-4; Library 4 Concert Band 1-3; Marching Band 1-3; Jr. Class Play 3; Choir 4; Girls' Glee Club 4; All-School Play 3; One-Act Play 2; Pep Band 3; Annual Staff 4: Pen Club 3. PAGE SPONSORED BY THE HI-V GROCERY

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ROBERT MEANS

Basketball 4; Football 2,4; FFA 1-41 FFA secretary 2; FFA Vice-President 3; FFA Basketball 1-3; Hi-Y 1-4; Hi-Y Treasurer 4; Dramatics 1,3; Projection Club 4; Volcano 3,4; Jr. Class Play 3; All-School Play 1; One-Act Play 1; Cheerleader 3; Annual Staff 4; Pep Club 3.

DELORIS SCHROEDER Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Dramatics 3,4; Volcano 3.4; Choir 4; Girls' Glee Club 3,4; Annual Staff 4.

MELVIN OLTMANN Football 1; Hi-Y 1-4; Concert Band 1; Marching Band 1;

Jr. Class Play 3; Choir 1,2, Valentine Dance King's Attendant 4.

MARILYN JACKSON Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3,4; Dramatics 3,4;

Library 2-4; Marching Band 3,4; Volcano 3,4; Jr. Class Play 3; Principal's Secretary 4; Annual Staff 4; Majorette 3,4

MARJORIE WALLACE Girls' Basketball 1-3; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3,4; Dramatics 3,4; Dramatics Officer 4; Library 2-4; Student Council 2; Concert Band 1,2; Marching Band 1-3; Jr. Class Play 3; Choir 1-4; Girls' Glee Club 1-4; Triple Trio 3; Sextette 4; Pep Band 2,3; Annual Staff 4; Pep Club 3; Home Room Officer 3; Madrigal 4. GENE WESTERLUND

Basketball 1-4; Football 3,4; Baseball 1; Track 2,3; Track Manager 2; FFA 1-4; In Officer 3,4; Hi-Y 1-4; Hi-Y Officer 3,4; Projection Club Officer 3.4; Student Council 4; Class Officer 3; Home Room Officer 4.

SARA JO LEE Y-Teens 1-4; Girls' Glee Club 4; Class Officer 1.

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CAROLYN WAAGE Girls' Basketball 1; Y-Teens 1-4; Dramatics 3,4; Library 2-4; Volcano 3,4; Choir 4; Girls' Glee Club 4; Principal's Secretary 4.

JAN STRICKLAND

Basketball 1-3; Football 1-4; Baseball 1; Track 1-4; Hi-Y 1-4; Hi-Y Officer 2,3; Dramatics 1-4; Dramatics Officer 3; Projection Club 2-4; Volcano 4; Jr. Class Play 3; Choir 1,3,4; Boys' Glee Club 4; Class Officer 2; One-Act Play 1,3; Carnival King 2; Annual Staff 4; All-State Choir 4; Madrigal 4.

JEANNE MARVICK

Girls' Basketball 1; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Dramatics 1-4; Dramatics Officer 2; Marching Band 1,2; Volcano 3,4; Jr. Class Play 3; Choir 1-4; Girls' Glee Club 1-4; All-School Play 3; One-Act Play 1; Cheerleader 3; Annual Staff 4; Majorette 1.2.

ROBERT SCOTT, JR. Basketball Manager 1,2; Football Manager 1-3; Track 1,2; Hi-Y 1-4; Projection Club 3,4; 'projection Club Officer 4; Letter Club 1-4:

KENT SMITH

Boys' Basketball 1-4; Track 1; Hi-Y 1-4; Hi-Y Officer 4; Student Council 4; Student Council Secretary 4; Class Treasurer 1; Carnival King's Attendant 1; Annual Editor-in-chief 4: Valentine Dance King's Attendant 4. JACQUELYN HENSEL Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3,4; Dramatics 3,4; Library 2-4; Marching Band 3,4; Volcano 3,4; Jr. Class Play 3; Principal's Secretary 4; Annual Staff 4; Majorette 3,4.

JOHN PATTERSON Basketball 4; Basketball Manager 2-4; Football Manager 2-4; Track Manager 2-4; Boys' Glee Club 4; Letter Club 2-4.

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# Class History

As we look back to a warm day on September 1, 1940, we see just a few of the angelic little children who are still with us today. Entering kindergarten we see Betty Ankeny, Janet Christenson, Charles Fisher, Dale Mains, Richard Marsh, Jeanne Marvick, JoAnn Marvick, Deloris Schroeder, Bob Scott, Kent Smith, and Gene

Westerlund. The highlight of this year was our very "jazzy" kindergarten band consisting of cymbals, tamborines, triangles, and drums. We also had a play house. All of the kids brought something to furnish the house, but very few got their things back. We had such a large class they had to divide us into two sections. One came in the morning and one in the afternoon. Mrs Stinson was our teacher.

The first grade was not too historical, although we picked up knowledge by the bushel basket, and of course it ran right back out, just like water. Our teacher was Miss Carpenter.

Jimmy Wagaman will never be forgotten for the merry chase he led around our second grade room after taking Miss Meyer's keys. We gained Judy Vernon this year.

We were now in the third grade, and our happy little throng was joined by Marge Wallace. Our teacher was Mrs. Gray. This year we lost Betty Ankeny.

We had minded our "p's" and "q's" that year, so the teachers got together and decided us into the fourth grade. Here we were joined by Jan Strickland and Melvin (Little John) Oltmann. Dick Marsh returned from Georgia. Our instructor was Mrs. Clark. This year we presented the play, "Rumple Stilt-skin." Gene Westerlund fitted the title role perfectly.

On to the fifth grade. We lost a few members this year. They were Bill. McCreedy, John Veak, and Deloris Peterson. Our lucky teacher was Miss Mercer, and, oh yes, that was the year Bob Rambo entered our class. We were now kings of the grade school, because we were in the sixth grade. It seems that several boys had their mouths taped shut by Miss Robinson because they were using the telephone in the library. The naughty, naughty boys were Tom Stinson, Dick Marsh, Charles Fisher, and Gene Westerlund.

At last we were in the high school building. Yes, at last we had made it! We were growing up, and had gone five blocks east, and were entering the junior high. We thought we were big shots, but soon we were taken down a few botches by the eighth grade. Newcomers were Mary Fast, Joan Fast, Janet Noble, and none other than Floyd "Geek" Olson. Out teachers this year were Miss Miller and Miss Gruber. We also got a big bang this year. Duane Hess, who was visiting school after being in Germany a while, Shot off a firecracker under the junior high drinking fountain. We haven't seen Duane since.

We were now ruling the junior high. Joining our class in the eighth grade were Lila Minge, Shirley Sierp, and at the semester, Arlene McCullough and Valjean Branan. Additions later in the year were Darwin Linn and Marvin Carlson. The class party was a picnic in Clarinda. Afterward we went skating. All in all, we got through it, and there we were, ready for high school.

At last we were in Senior High School. We were join by Jacky Hensel, Bob Hensel, Bill Anderson, Vivian Cartwright, Dwaine Cooper, Mary Doll, Mary Lou Hedstrom, Marilyn Jackson, Sara Jo Lee, Naomi Mauderly, Gerlad Norcross, Richard Orton, Carolyn Waage, Raymond Kimpson, Cleo Fidler, Clark Crussell, Bob Means, and Betty Brown. We were high salesmen for carnival tickets. Joann Marvick was carnival queen. We had a dance in the gym for our class party The class officers were President Sara Lee, Vice President Bill Anderson, Secretary Mary Lou Hedstrom, and Treasurer Kent Smith.

As Sophomores we were one step higher on our ladder of education. We gained Ronald Clark and John Patterson from Arkansas and Lloyd Stille from Emerson. We had a dance for our party this year. It wasn't a bad party, even though the chili was scorched. Our officers were President Arlene McCullough, Vice President Dick Marsh, Secretary Jan Strickland, and Treasurer Darwin Linn.

At last we had become upperclassmen. To raise money for the Junior-Senior banquet we sold magazines and had a stand at the armory for basketball games. We gained Lillian Burkhart and Norman Pierson • We lost Sam Penry, Bob Hensel, Bob Rambo, Jim Lewellen, Dennis Black, and Austin Core. Our class play was "Our Miss Brooks." Officers were President Dale Mains, Vice President Dick Marsh, Secretary Darwin Linn, and Treasurer Gene Westerlund.

Those missing from our Senior year were Cleo Fidler, Vivian Cartwright, and Clark Crussell. Some of our important happenings were our Career Day at Clarinda, working on the Annual, Skip Day, end the Junior-Senior Banquet. The class officers were President Dick Marsh, Vice President Gerlad Norcross, Secretary Lloyd Stille, and Treasurer Richard Orton. The Homecoming Queen was Naomi Mauderly, with Arlene McCullough, Mary Fast, Lou Ann Patterson, and Kathy Stille as her attendants. Shirley Sierp was queen and Richard Orton

King at the Valentine Dance, and their attendants were Kent Smith, Melvin Oltmann, Arlene McCullough, and Janet Noble.

Now we would like to take this opportunity to thank all the teachers who helped us through these past thirteen years. Some of us may not amount to much of anything, and others may go on and become great people in this world. But all in all. we will always remember Villisca High, wherever we may go.

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Senior Prophecy

One day as I was driving through lowa, I decided to stop in Villisca to see what I could find out about my classmates of 1953. Lo and behold they were all gone! But the old town gossips were still here and raring to tell me all they knew. So I let them talk to their hearts content.

As you all know Betty Ankeny always wanted to be a nurse, well she is in fact the head nurse, at it Bill Anderson's hospital. The sign above the door reeds "If your pet feels ill, bring him to Bill".

Ronald Clark, former "Civil Air Patrol Boy", is now Captain Video of the "Video Rangers" Television program. The former woman hater of V. H. S., Norman Pierson, has finally, after many tiring decisions, picked his harem and fled to South Africa.

Dwaine Cooper and Arlene McCullough, the brains of the class, eloped leaving poor Richard Orton at the alter. They are now residing at their Chicago establishment with Richard escaping to Hollywood to be a stand-in for "Andy DeVine".

Mary Lou Hedstrom has her own T. V. program called "Mary's Kitchen". Well Well, look who is her ass-latent, nobody else but Lloyd Stille.

Hey Hey, Here is a bulletin fresh off the Press. "The new world's champion trapeze actress is now Miss Lillian Burkhart with Miss Betty Brown es her costume and hair stylist.

Carolyn Waage and hare. Jo Lee have just become sole heir of Sierp's Oil Station. Carolyn is heed cook with Sara Jo handling the gas pumps.

The truest couple of V. H. S. are Janet Noble and Bob Scott. They are now residing in the thriving city of Sciola. Bob has charge of the up keep of the grave yard.

Darwin Linn, Dale Mains, Dick Marsh and Gene Westerlund are now employed with Paramont Studios. Their latest picture tells of their experiences with Co. F. The picture title is "The Best Years of Our Lives".

Kent Smith has now taken Hal Block's place on the panel T.V. program "What's My Line".

Oh look here! Naomi Mauderly has just won national fame as the first women to catch for the Stanton baseball club.

Mary Fast has now set the new worlds record in her jet plane. She had to catch up with a certain Flyboy.

Jacky Hensel and Marilyn Jackson had so many men they didn't know what to do so they locked them in a pumpkin shell and there they kept them very will.

Deloris Schroeder and Melvin "Little John" Oltmann are now on Broadway with their latest tap dancing routine. The name of their show is "Little John and Jeanne's Follies".

You all remember the "Little Brown Church in the Vale" at Nashua. It now has, as the head pianist Margery Wallace and the Pastor is none other then Re-. Robert Means.

The Harlem Globe Trotters have just signed a new manager. She is none other then Miss Mary Doll. Charles Fisher is now assistant to the worlds genius. After the passing away of Albert Einstein, his office is now occupied by Marvin Paul Carson.

You all remember that Gerald Norcross always wanted to be a big factory president. He now removes warts from pickles, large dills. His assistant is none other then our little Shirley Sierp. She disposes of the warts.

Janet Christenson is now "Miss Universe" of 1963.

According to Jeanne Marvick's "Chitter Chatter Column" the top crooner of the nation is John Patterson He is now opening at the RIALTO Theater in Villisca, Iowa.

If you happen to be out for a joy ride in the country you may run into Joan Fasts and Joanne Marvicks little farms. Take heed to the signs on the gates "Be Ware of the Children" as they both believe "Everything is Cheaper by the dozen".

Valjean Brannan and his wife have now moved to Greenland where he is head of a construction crew. His wife the former Lila Minge is the head cat skinner.

Dickeyville just set up a new Child Welfare Agency. the head advisor is our own Jan Strickland. Class Will

We the class of 1953, do will and bequeath all the following items to the "lucky" underclassmen. To the juvenile juniors, we will our outstanding athletic, musical, dramatic, and scholastic

abilities. Of course we shine in ell!

To the sad sophomores, we leave our safe driving practices; no speeding, no "peeling" around corners, no stopping at stop signs, and no driving through lovers lane.

To the funny freshmen we leave our politeness, courtesy, respect toward the teachers, quietness in the halls, and consideration for fellow atudents.

To the school we leave bent locker doors, water fountains filled with Chewing gum, enumerous wastepaper wads, initials on desks, damaged typewriters and books, and many fond memories of our intelligent class???????????

We appoint the chief executor of our will, Miss Kuhl, our cheerful sponsor for the last two years.

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Class Will Cont'd

Jan Strickland wills his "charming" ways with the fairer sex to Eldon Hill. With this comes one warning, "stay away from Bloomfield".

Dick Marsh leaves his rough and rugged football abilities to Vincent Else.

Charles "Buckshot" Fisher bequeaths his hunting skill to Jon Goodman. With this comes two dozen shot-up rubber decoys.

Mary Fast leaves her good figure and gracefulness to Duane Vannausdale.

Kent Smith leaves his position as Hi-Y chaplain to Ronnie Means. We will now have 30 seconds of silent prayer.

Joan Fast wills her love for college men to Lou Ann Patterson.

Marilyn Jackson and Jacky Hensel leave their positions of majorettes in the marching band to John Null Hand Norman Ansen. Be sure and wear nice short skirts.

Gerald Norcross sadly leaves his great driving skill to "Speedy" Sallie Bergren.

Carolyn Waage leaves her devotion for members of the armed services to Carolyn Mitchell. ks if she wasn't busy enough all ready.

Shirley Sierp wills her job as office secretary to Virgil Core. Hard work et times Virgil, but makes it much easier to skip school.

Bob Means leaves his great ambitions for hard studying to George Scott. This will keep you busy in study hall for a long time, George.

Dwane Cooper, Lloyd Stille, and Ronnie Clark leave a warning to all the rest of the men in old V. H. S. "Stay away from three girls who you'll recognize by the "53" class rings"!!!

The writers of this will, Valjean Brannan and Mary Lou Hedstrom, leave their many hours of hard work and preparation of this will to next years seniors. We also leave a slightly used deck of playing cards and our ninth hour seats in the principals office.

Lila Minge leaves her position in the library to Russel Acton. Now it will be legal for you to be in the library all the time, Russel.

Betty Ankeny bequeaths her ever popular (If you'll pardon the expression) hiccups to just anyone who will take them. Betty is kind of tired of being laughed at so much.

Betty Brown leaves her guiet ways to that meek little boy Jim Bauer.

John Patterson wills his Toni permanent to Jim Olenius. Now there will be no doubt which twin has the Toni!!!

Lillian Burkhart leaves her speech making ability to Duane Nippert. Maybe this will help you in English class Duane.

Bob Scott bequeaths his many books about outer space, atomic energy, ect. to Clytha Burns. Janet Christensen wills her great musical, ability to Mary Shepard.

George Scott, Dale Maine has just decided to make you a gift of his trusty Ford. Now you can haul him around.

Naomi Mauderly leaves her reign as homecoming queen to Rose Selby. We always wanted a red head for Homecoming queen.

Marvin P. Carlson better known as Buddy bequeathes his white letter sweater to Carol Patterson. Hope it fits.

Delores Schroeder and Sara Lee leave their happy disposition and their ability to get along to Ruth Ann Sprague and Sheri Shields.

Melvin "Little John" Oltmann, leaves his quietness to that meek little girl, Donna Vannausdle. Arlene McCullough and Richard Orton leave their great love affair to Ronnie Wallace and Charlene Burkhart.

Darwin Linn leaves his high and mighty position in Company F to Captain Video's ranger, Glen Eossman. May the C. A. P. live forever.

Janet Noble leaves her cheer-leading ability to that up-and coming new star, Peter Beery. Gene Westerland, better know as "Bo" wills his height and long legs to Chuck Griffith. This should help you on the basketball court Chuck.

Jeanne and Jo Anne Marvick leave their ability to look and act alike to the Siamise twins, Carolyn Lenhardt and Phyllis Rickles.

Wild Bill Anderson wills his long-winded stories to David Windom. With this technique Bill has bluffed through many a long assignment.

Mary Doll wills her basketball technique to Linda Moore. The best of luck Linda.

Norman Pierson leaves his loud-playing trombone to Wayne Guss. Much nearer your size than the tuba Gussy.

Marge Wallace wills her brown-nosing ability to Robert Andrews. Maybe it will help you get your assignments in on time Bob.

Horrors!.Pink Elephants!

Ain't I Purty?

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The Pals

Miss Bathing Beauty Hedstrom

Just Us Ten!

Here I Am Girls...

Oh you Kid!

Howdie, Luke..

Sleeping Beauty (A Little Later)

They're Grown Up Nowl

Member This Kids?

Well....We were Juniors Then...

Corny But Cute..

We Caught You This Time, Strick!

MARGE!!!!!

#### This Way Folks!

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BEANIE the BLUEJAY PRESENTS: SEARCH FOR TOMORROW (UNDERCLASMEN)

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Juniors

RONALD MEANS PRESIDENT

JAMES BLACK VICE PRESIDENT

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SHIRLEY DOLLEN

LOREN STUVICK

JANE ENARSON

**GEORGE SCOTT** 

SHERI SHIELDS

RAYMOND ANKENY

**RUTH BARR** 

**RUTH SPRAGUE** 

**RUSS ACTON** 

JOHN MINGE

SHARON SHANTZ

JANET GUSS JANIS KING

RONALD WALLACE

BEVERLY BERGREN

DWIGHT ORTON

KATHRYN STILLE

JACK KEAT

JAMES BAUER

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BERNIECE JAMES

LOU ANN PATTERSON

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BEVERLY STILL

**DUANE VANNAUSDLE** 

MARILLA ANKENY

**GLEN HOSSMAN** 

**EVELYN BAKER** 

GENE MURREN

VINCENT ELSE

CHARLENE BURKHART

VIRGIL CORE

SHIRLEY BLACK

STANLEY CARMICHAEL

**ELLEN HEDSTROM** 

**DUANE NIPPERT** 

**BONNIE BROWN** 

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Delmar, Hard at Work

Through the Lunch Line

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**CHARLES GRIFFITH** 

DONNA MAINS

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NANCY MOORE

CAROL SMITH DICK WEINER

PHYLLIS RICKLES

DEWEY FASTENAU

VERLA BEAN

LEROY OVERMAN

CARL SIERP

LINDA MOORE

RONALD TAYLOR

NOVA LEA. ELSWICK

RI CHARD CORDES

MARTHA DARNOLD

DARWIN WHITE

CAROLYN LENHARDT

JUNIOR MINGE

**ELAINE ENARSON** 

WAYNE GUSS HELEN HOWELL

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DARLENE BOSWELL

ROSE SELBY

LARRY COZAD

**CLYTHA BURNS** 

REX EBERLY

JOHN STAKELY

**VERDA PHILLIS** 

ORIN DOLL

FRANK GAREY

MARY SHEPHERD

JANET PETERSON

LLOYD RUPP

**ROLAND GOURLEY** 

ROBERT ANDREW

TOM BEAVERS

JOHN NULL

ALFRED HENDRY

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JOAN PALMQUIST

BRUCE JAMIESON

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JAMES OLENIUS

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LOIS GOODWIN

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SAM CARMICHAEL

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SHARON DRAPER

JOHN BASHAW

**BONNIE ANKENY** 

BILL KERNEN

DARLENE SANDERS

VERNON ELSE

LEO DAVIES

JEAN SHIPMAN

DAVID SNOW

CAROL STARLIN

MARLYN GRAY

JANET SANDERS

RICHARD BROWN

NORMA WAAGE

NORMAN ANSON CHARLOTTE CROUSE

CARMEN SMITH

**WAYNE SMITH** 

NORMA. FREEMAN

**BOB MEANS** 

JOANNE MILLER

SHIRLEY COZAD

**RUTH UNITS** 

DAVID WINDOM

LEONA RAINES

KENT RICHEY

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Tee! Hee!

SIGH!

Look Out They're At It Again! (Nobody else knows what either..)

Ho! Hum

Let Him Snore, Let Him Snore, Let Him Snore..

Bashful Bevie! (Sally to you!)

Our Gang....

You Can't Do This!

It's Shapely Richard, Shapely!

If this was Boston this Would Be Censored!

#### Boo!

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Beanie The Bluejay

PRESENTS:

'CHANCE of a LIFETIME'

(ACTIVITIES)

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The Student Council

MR. STANLEY SANDERS High School Principal Student Council Sponsor Annual Advisor Senior Class Sponsor Hi-

Y Advisor General Science Teacher

THE STUDENT COUNCIL . . . . Coordinates all Student

Activities . . . . Selects Assemblies . . . .

Planned Homecoming . . . . Supervises cheerleader

Elections . . . . Delegated to State Conference at

Ames . . President Dick Marsh . . . . Vice President

Bob Radford . . . . Secretary-Treasurer Kent Smith (not pictured). . .

Administration

MR. WILLIAM A. ANDERSON

Superintendent of Schools

MRS. VONA FRYREAR

Secretary to the Superintendent

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#### YR1953PG024

# Chorus

Chorus Practice every Tuesday and Thursday morning. . . . Glee Clubs on Wednesday and Friday . . .

Small Groups whenever we could find time .... Christmas Choral Program .... All-State Choir at Dee

Moines . . . . Madrigal groups in the Messiah at Lincoln . . . Whole Chorus to Festival at Shen

Operetta . . . . Cooking School . . . . Carnival Program . . . . Trio and Boys' quartette especially good

Boys' and Girls' Glee Clubs Include

all Mixed Chorus Members .... And those Pictured Below ....

The Madrigal Chorus.... New this

Year Featured in Spring Con-

cert .... Sang in The Messiah at Lincoln ....

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GIRLS' TRIO

MIXED QUARTETTE

**BOY'S QUARTETTE** 

MISS PEGGY BAYER

Vocal Music Instructor

FRESHMAN- SOPHOMORE OCTETTE

GIRLS' SEXTETTE

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Band

The Concert Band

MR. MARTIN HENTSCH

**Band Director** 

MARCHING BAND . . . . Formations at Football Games . . . Parade at Nodaway Corn Festival . . . . Homecoming Parade.

PEP BAND . . . . Pep Assemblies . . . Basketball Games.

CONCERT BAND . . . . Band Concert in January . . . . Cooking School . . . Solo and Small Group Concert in April. Band Council Meetings . . . . Cake Walk at Carnival . . . . Band Party.

DRUM MAJORS

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# Drama Club

DRAMA CLUB OF 52-53

The activities of the Drama Club include: one-act plays, over 20 people entered individual readings, meetings once a month, two assembly programs at the carnival. Charles Fisher won I ratings with his radio speaking at contest.

MINOR MIRACLE

Cast includes Marvin Carlson, Norman Pierson, Gerald Norcross, and Charles Fisher. Thie play went to the Drake Play festival.

LAST NIGHT'S PAPER

CAST: Loren Stuvick, Ronald Taylor, Carol Smith, Elaine Enarson, Bev Still, and Richard Cordes,

SOD

CAST: Valjean Branan, Janet Peterson, Mary Lou Hedstrom, and Glen Roseman.

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Miss George

- 1. Judy McCullough
- 2. Charles Fisher
- 3. Mary Lou Hedstrom
- 4. John Williams
- 5. Janet Peterson
- 6. Norman Pierson

Junior Class Play "Class Play 52" (Upper)

Junior Class Play "Class Play 53" (Lower)

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#### Y-TEENS

Y-TEEN CABINET

 ${\sf Father-Daughter\ Banquet\ and\ Mother-Daughter\ Tea}\ldots {\sf\ Popcorn\ Sales\ at\ School\ and\ Basketball\ Games}\ldots$ 

 $Initiation \dots . \ \, \mathsf{Gypsy} \, \mathsf{Patteran} \dots . \, \mathsf{Kiddie} \, \mathsf{Party} \dots . \, \mathsf{Refreshment} \, \mathsf{Stands} \, \mathsf{at} \, \mathsf{Football} \, \mathsf{Games} \dots . \, \mathsf{Valentine}$ 

Dance with Hi-Y . . . . Selling Christmas Seals . . . . Installation of Officers . . . . Sponsored Jacquelyn . . . . Selling

Football and Basketball Pencils . . . . Served at FFA Banquet . . . . Sent Chocolate Bars to Europe . . .

.Entertainment, Business, and Inspiration at Regular Meetings . . . .

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Hi-Y Club

CABINET MEMBERS PICTURED ABOVE:

(Front Row)

Robert Means Treasurer

Darwin Linn President

Gene Westerlund Vice President
Marvin Carlson Secretary
(Back Row, Committee Chairmen)
Valjean Branan....Planning Committee

John Minge Discipline Committee

Charles Fisher Program Committee

Stanley G. Sanders Sponsor

(Not Pictured)

Kent Smith Chaplain

Formal Induction of new members at the Advent Christian Church

Raised money for the March of Dimes

Sent Delegates Marsh and Carlson to the Model Legislature at Des Moines

Sponsored a Safety Assembly

for the School

Donation to the Red Cross

Group discussions in meetings

District Officers' Conference at Glenwood

Installation of Officers for next year

Sponsored dances in the gym after football and basketball games

Two bake sales to raise money

The Hi-Y basketball team ,Hi-Y Tournament and County Tournament

The Valentine Dance with the Y Teens

Annual Spring Conference at Corning this year

Movies in our meetings

Businees meetings with lots of arguments

Trying to raise money to stay out of the red

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**Future Farmers of America** 

LEARNING TO FARM

Meetings for business and education

Annual Workday

State and National Conventions

**Practicing Parliamentary Procedure** 

**Community Services Speaking Contests** 

Reno Smith, Our Sponsor

**ENJOYING IT TOO Freshman Initiation** 

Visiting Des Moines and Kansas City

**Entertaining Parents at Banquet** 

**Basketball Games** 

Monthly Night Meetings

Annual Hayride

Darwin Linn, Our President

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Dwaine Cooper and John Patterson spent many hours in the production of the

annual. They were important in keeping the ball rolling.

We are indebted to David Snow, who took and developed many pictures that appear in this annual.

We also wish to express our gratitude to Mrs. Virgil Boyer for her original drawings of Beanie the Bluejay. Our sponsor was Mr. Sanders, who spent more tours on the annual than anyone. He deserves the credit for

the completion of the annual, and other miscellaneous, but very important jobs in connection with it.

And to all who helped to make this annual a success THANKS!!

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BEANIE THE BLUEJAY

PRESENTS:

CAVALCADE OF SPORTS

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1952 Football Team

DICK MARSH

Tackle

All-Conference Second Team

All-State Honorable Mention

Co-Capt. MARVIN CARLSON Guard

All-Conference First Team

All-SW Iowa Second Team

JAN STRICKLAND

Halfback

All-Conference First Team All-State Honorable Mention All-SW Iowa First Team

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**DARWIN LINN Halfback** 

Co-Capt. GENE WESTERLAND Quarterback

DALE MAINS Fullback

DICK ORTON End

**GERALD NORCROSS End** 

VALJEAN BRANAN End

CHARLES FISHER Center

VILLISCA VS BEDFORD

20-7

The Bluejays opened the season with a bang by defeating Bedford to the tune of 20-7, on the Bulldog field. The Jays were just too much for the light Bedford team.

VILLISCA VS ATLANTIC

13-6

The first home appearence of the Jays saw them conquer the Atlantic Trojans 13-6, for the first time in many, many years. The Jays were in command all the way.

VILLISCA VS SHENANDOAH

0-18

The Shen mustangs dealt Villisca their first defeat, 18-0. This game is sometimes referred to as "Villisca's Last Stand," because of the many injuries suffered by the Jays.

VILLISCA VS GLENWOOD

39-12

It was homecoming, and the Jays rose to the occasion to trample the Rams 39-12. Villisca's attack was sharp and hard hitting.

VILLISCA VS CORNING

12-18

"Doc" Strange took his thundering herd over to Corning in what was expected to be a smashing triumph for the Jays. A so-called weak but determined Corning squad all but shoved the Jays off the field.

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LLOYD STILLE Tackle

RONALD CLARK Half—back

**BOB MEANS End** 

RALPH "Doc" STRANGE

Football Coach

Track Coach

Assistant Basketball

Coach

Social Science Teacher

Boys' P.T.

VILLISCA VS CRESTON

48-0

The Jays, still simmering over last week's upset loss to Corning, bounced back in a big way to crush the Creston Panthers, 48-0. The Jays displayed power in every department.

ISCA VS CLARINDA 33-13

Villisca cooled one of its arch rivals, 33-13. The first half was played on even terms, with the Jays holding a 7-6 edge at the half. Clarinda was completely outclassed the second half.

VILLISCA VS RED OAK

#### 9-13

The Villisca Jays were forced to taste defeat by one of the smoothest grid machines in the state. The Tigers were ranked number two team in Iowa, but a stubborn Jay team played them on even terms the entire baligame. The Jays held a two point lead going into the 1-st three minutes but Red Oak still edged out a close win

VILLISCA VS MISSOURI VALLEY

13-6

The Bluejays ended the season on a splendid note by slipping past the powerful Big Reds of Missouri Valley. It was a bitterly fought contest all the way, but the Jaya emerged victorious.

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**Homecoming Activities** 

Attendants to the Homecoming queen were, from left to right, Kathy Stille, Mary Fast, Arlene McCullough, and Lou Ann Patterson.

QUEEN NAOMI MAUDERLY

HOMECOMING

Football season was again climaxed by a very successful homecoming. Naomi Mauderly was chosen queen by the student body. Her attendants were Kathy Stille, Mary Fast, Arlene McCullough and Lou Ann Patterson. Pam and Park Hunphrey carried the crown and the bouquet of red roses onto the football field where Naomi was crowned by co-captain, Buddy Carlson. The football field was decorated in Villisca's colors, blue and white and Glenwood's colors, black and gold. Villisca won the homecoming game 39-12. The evening was climaxed by a dance in the gym, sponsored by the student council.

And the music goes round and round...at the Valentine Dance

Valentine King, Queen, and their court.

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The 1952-1953 basketball season was one of the most successful in the whole history of the school.

The Jays were a fighting and driving

team, with rebounds and defense gaining them

their most wins.

Highlights of the season included a

win over Red Oak in the game of the week in

Iowa, and being the top defensive team in the Hawkeye Eight. The Jays were ranked third in

southwest Iowa during most of the season.

The main reason for the Jays turning in

one of the most successful season in a number

of years was because of the guidance from

Coach Humphrey. Anyone who was very close to

the team could tell that it was he that caused

them to stand and pound out victories.

1952-1953 BASKETBALL RESULTS: (18 WINS 5 LOSSES)

VILLISCA 42 STANTON 31

VILLISCA 32 A L 63

VILLISCA 73 SIDNEY 27

VILLISCA 38 FARRAGUT 19

VILLISCA 58 CORNING 54

VILLISCA 47 BEDFORD 50 (OVT.) VILLISCA 44 ATLANTIC 38 VILLISCA 59 SHENANDOAH 46 VILLISCA 55 GLENWOOD 43 VILLISCA 53 CRESTON 37 VILLISCA 47 CLARINDA 27 VILLISCA 37 CORNING 44 VILLISCA 46 ATLANTIC 40 VILLISCA 64 SHENANDOAH 45 VILLISCA 67 AUDUBON VILLISCA 57 RED OAK 45 VILLISCA 49 GLENWOOD 48 VILLISCA 58 CRESTON 53 VILLISCA 46 RED OAK 52 VILLISCA 58 CLARINDA 41 SECT. TOUR. VILLISCA 67 LENOX 43 VILLISCA 56 CORNING 53 DISTRICT VILLISCA 48 ATLANTIC 61 HAWKEYE EIGHT STANDINGS WON LOST RED OAK 13 1 VILLISCA 12 2 ATLANTIC 10 4 CLARINDA 6 GLENWOOD 6 CORNING 5 CRESTON 3 11 SHENANDOAH1 OFFENSIVE AND DEFENSIVE **AVERAGES** VILLISCA 52.2 **OPPONENTS 43.9** PAGE SPONSORED BY FARMER'S MONUMENT WORKS YR1953PG041

BLUEJAY SQUAD OF 1952 - 1953

Orton takes a tip—off, as Villisca wins another at Clarinda

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ABOVE: Left to right:

RICHARD ORTON

High Point Man for the Season. All Conference and All Southwest Iowa first teams.

DALE MAINS

Rugged at the Post and Top Rebounder.

KENT SMITH

Constant Scoring Threat. All Conference second team and All Southwest Iowa Honorable Mention.

BELOW, Left to right:

GENE WESTERLUND

Fast and Handy on Defense and Offense.

**RONNY MEANS** 

Smooth and Versatile, and Back Next Year.

JIM BAUER

One of the Best on Defense, and a Junior.

**COACH FRED HUMPHREY** 

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Girls Basketball Team

Under the guidance of Don Holstrom, the Villisca Jayettes won their first game in several seasons by taking a two point verdict over College Springs, Mary Doll was the only Senior on the squad, so the outlook for next season is good.

Regulars who will be back next season are pictured below. Reading from left to right, they are; Marilla Ankeny, Carol Patterson, Marilyn Saemisch, Linda Moore, Coach Don Holstrom, Jane Enarson, Janet Peterson, Rose Selby, and Jeannie Richey.

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Track Team

As this goes to press the track season has yet to start. These are the prospects for the team. We are very confident that we will have a much more successful season this year.

John Williams

Richard Orton

**Dwight Orton** 

Jan Strickland

Jim Bauer talking it over with Coach Humphrey

"Doc" Strange?????????

Ronald Clark

Dale Mains

Out in front, Dwight Orton

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Cheerleaders

First Team Cheerleaders

**Richard Cordes** 

Janet Noble

Shirley Sierp

Lou Ann Patterson

Carolyn Mitchell

Donna Mains

Bob White

Second Team Cheerleaders

Jim Olenius

Virginia Hein

Lavon Adair

Bonnie Ankeny

Shirley Dollen

Peter Beerv

George Scott Helps the Cheerleaders Work Up Some Pep at a Pep Assembly.

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BEANIE the BLUEJAY

PRESENTS

TALENT SPROUTS (JUNIOR HIGH)

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Eighth Grade

Class Prophecy

February 12, 1963

Dear Friend,

Just received a letter from Sylvia Enarson telling what had become of our class. Sharon Frazee and Benny Johneon were married last Sunday. Bob and Janet Patterson are running the Villisca Review. Mrs. Patterson was Janet Means.

Wanda Overman and Donna Finkle are running the Overman Drug Store. Kenny Adair and Warren Johnson are running for President and vice-president against Elmer Burns and Othel Shipman. Frances Brown and Rosalene Arterburn are running the Frances and Rosalene Shop. Rosalene is married to Don Williame and Frances to LeRoy Buffon. Janis Hedstrom now is Mrs. Peterson and is living in Chicago with Marvin and children. Frances Smith and Bob Brown are engaged to be married. Patty and Frederick Clark are coaching the girls' and boys' basketball squads, each with a 12-0 record.

Clifford Pettengill, Laural Ann Davie, Karen and Phil Wagaman are taking trips around the world. Mrs. Wagaman was Karen Hoyt. Bernice McFarland and Carolyn Saemisch are attending Iowa State University. Janet and Jim Moser are running the Palmquist Hardware and the Moser Tire Repair Shop. David Hedstrom and Patricia Poston will be married tonight. Their attendants will be Wanda Wheeler and Gail Fisher. Beverly Linn and Jack Linn are living in Denver, Colorado. Mrs. Linn was Beverly Anson. She is now a beauty parlor operator.

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Jane and J. P. Jones are honeymooning in Florida. Jane was a Sprague. Sharon Fisher and her husband, Vincent Ashmore, are flying Coca—Cola around the United Statee. Rosalie Bean, Freda Baker and Linda Eberly are swimming teachers in New York. Bob Webster and Clark Zickafoose are farming a 2,000 acre farm southwest of Villisca.

Dean Archer and Joel Freeman are selling used cars and doing a good job of it. Roger Sprague and Ronnie Lewis are salesmen for General Electric.

Yours truly,

Graduating Class of 1957

Seventh Class Will

I Nita Brown will Darwin Garey to any girl who can handle him.

I Jimmy Branan will my place on the annual staff to Roger Poston.

I Karene Carlson will my ever—going mouth to Bobby Sierp.

I Freddie Burns will my "enthusiasm" for work to Joan Guss.

I Nickie Christie will my good-looks to Kathren Clark.

I Ronnie Cooper will my friendliness with Mr. Clark to Earla Heagle. (It comes in handy sometimes.)

I Patsy Ericson will my blue finger nail polish to Anna Currin.

I Mike Croxdale will my brains to David Baker.

I Joanne Findly will my spelling ability to June Guss.

I-Gordon Currins will the fancy way I comb my hair to Donna Finkle.

I Sharon Gray will my restlessness to Kay Adair.

I David Bodwell will my motto "Always get to school on time" to Billy McFarland.

I Gary Sprague will my height to Bill Morgan.

I Morris Stille will my physique to Billy Victor.

I Tommie Ten Eyck will my mathematical brain to Leo Farlin.

I Rickie Well will my ability for getting into trouble to Charles Doan.

I Judd Nordyke will my cute face to Verla Shenck.

I Arvid Garey will my glass eye to Shirley Askloff. (I look so cute without it.)

I Sandra Guss will my "Heinz"dog (57 VARIETY of Dog) to Sharan Guthrie

I Darwin Garey will my tallness to Donald Hendry.

I Linda Linee will my Howdy—Doody badge to Peggy Brown.

I Allan Gidly will all 16 of my girl friends to Larry Daniels.

I Carol Mack will my ability to draw girls to Karen Bean.

I Gail Arteburn will my bright eyes to Sharon Finkle. All three of them.

I Eddie Joe Ankeny will my hair, which ie always falling in my eyes to Lee Doll. (It is allergic to combs.)

I Patricia Bauer will my craving for men to Elinor Roseman. Use it wisely.

I Glenn Archer will the mustache I will have in 1965 to Lyle Jones.

I Avon Brown will my shyness to David Shepard.

I Richard Johnson will my always combed hair to Marles Raines.

I Deloris Oltman will a ride in the Cadillac I hope to own to Richard Lee Core.

I Bobby Kleseath will my figure to Sandra Garland. That's one way to get rid of it.

I Jeanne Richey will my fondness for horses to Marie Branan.

I Max Magnuson will my quietness to Richard Lee Core.

I Patty Smith will my ability to talk to Catherine Clark.

I David Noble will my basketball suit, which used to belong to Kent Richey, to Duane Anson.

I Barbara Staats will my popularity to Lois Sprague.

I Billy Scott will my enthusiasm for school to John Burton.

I Ann Stackhouse will my personality to Verla Schenck.

I John Sidwell will my curly hair to Marice Branan.

I Beverly Weaver will my boy friend to Sharon Guthrie.

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6th & 7th Grades

Roger P.: "What is the difference between a dancer and a duck?"

Billy V.: "One goes quick on her legs; the other goes "quack" on her eggs."

Elinor: "Why iS it so had to write on an empty stomach?" Shirley: "It isn't so bad, but paper is better."

Fancy: "Why is a blackbird on a fence like a penny?"

Connie: "Because the head is on one side and the tail on the other."

Deloris: "Did you push your little brother down the stairs?"

Richard G.: "Not me! I only pushed him one step. He fell the rest of the way."

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Basketball Team

CHEERLEADERS
GIRLS P.T. CLASS
JUNIOR HIGH ANNUAL STAFF
STUDYING AWAY

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#### DEDICATION

It is with deep appreciation and greatest of delight that the annual staff has dedicated the Blue Jay of 1954 to Mr. Donald Holstrom. Mr. Holstrom has taught mathematics at Villisca these past four years. With untiring effort he has directed many of us through our courses. Also he is an excellent Junior High Coach and aided the high school's coaches during the football season. We all want to wish Mr. Holstrom successful and happy years in the future.

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Missouri

University of Oregon

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MRS. VONA FRYREAR Office Secretary

VHS Custodians

ALBERT PATTERSON

"Cappy"

Served as custodian

for three years

Our janitors work so very hard, their job is never done. They work on floors and desk tops and never have no fun

So this is to them and their effort, a little reminder from all. Get on the sticks Get busy! Quit shuffling down the hall.

DELMAR WIRTH "Wirthless" Custodian for the past year

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Seniors

#### YR1954PG009

RUSSELL ACTON "Lefty" Proj. Club-1-4, Basketball-1-4, Football-1-4, Hi-Y-1-4, Track-1-4, Carnival Attendent-1, Letter Club-4

EVELYN BAKER "Evie" Girls Glee Club-3, Librarians-4, Class Treas.-4, Student Council-4, Y-Teens-1-4, Y-Teens Treas.-4, Y-Teens Cabinet-3,4, Annual Staff-4, Volcano Staff-3,4, Volcano Editor-4, Pep Club-2, Chorus -3

MARILLA ANKENY Pep Band-1,2,3, Marching Band-1,2,3, Concert Band-1, 2,3, Girls Basketball-1,2,3,4, Girls Basketball Captain-3, Y-Teens-1,2,3,4

RAYMOND ANKENY "Ray"

Boys Glee Club-1-4, Proj. Club

-2,3,4, Class Treas.-l, Football-1,4, Hi-Y-1-4, Hi-Y Officer-4, Boys Quartet-l, Madrigal-3, All-State Chorus-2,3, F.F.A.-l,2,3,4, F.F.A. Treas.

-3, F.F.A. Ouartet-1.2.3.4, Chorus-1.2.3.4

JAMES A. BAUER "Jim" Class Sec.-l, Dramatics-2, 3,4, Class Play-3, Student Council-4, Basketball-1-4, Football-1-4, Hi-Y-l-4, Annual Staff Ed.-4, Volcano Staff-3,4, Track-l,2, One Act Plays-2,4, Letter Club-4, Letter Club Pres.-4.. Chorus-l-4

JANIS ARCHER "Jan" Y-Teens-1,2,3,+, Pep Club-2

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RUTH BARR "Hoochie" Girls Glee Club-2,3,4, Librarians-4, Dramatics-3, Student Council-4, Girls Basketball-1, Y-Teens-1-4, Y-Teens Cabinet-4, Volcano Staff-3,4, Pep Club-2, Chorus-2,3,4 STANLEY CARMICHAEL "Stan" Projectors Club-2,3,4, Hi-Y-1,2,3,4, F.F.A.-1,2,3,4, F.F.A. Quartet-2,3, Chorus -2,3,4, Boys Glee Club-4

JAMES BLACK "Jim" Projectors Club-1,2,3,4, Class Vice-Pres.-3, Student Council-2, Basketball-1,2,3,4,

Football-1,4, Hi-Y-1,2,3, 4, Annual Staff-4, Volcano Staff-3,4

BEVERLY BERGREN "Sally" Girls Glee Club-1,2,3,4, Librarians-3,4, Dramatics-2,3, 4, Basketball-1, Y-

Teens-1, 2,3,4, Annual Staff-4, Pep Club-2, One Act Plays-2, Chorus-1,2,3,4

SHIRLEY BLACK "Stormy"

Dramatics-2, Y-Teens-1,2,3,4

VINCENT ELSE "Vince" Basketball-2, Football-1,3,4 Hi-Y-1,2,3,4, Annual Staff-4, Pep Club-2, Track-2,3,4, F.F.A.-1,2,3,4, Letter Club -4, Basketball Manager-3,4

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SHIRLEY DOLLEN "Shirl" Girls Glee Club-1,2,3,4, Dramatics-1-4, 2nd Team Cheerleader-3, Student Council-3, Basketball-1, Y-Teens-2,3,4, Annual Staff-4, Volcano Staff -3,4, Pep Club-1,2, Chorus-1-4 GENE MURREN

Projectors Club-2,3,4, Football-1,2,3, Hi-Y-4, F.F.A.1,2, Letter Club-4

DUANE NIPPERT "Skippy" Projectors Club-2,3,4, Hi-Y2,3,4, Annual Staff-4, F.F.A.-1,2,3,4

JANE ENARSON "Janie" Marching Band-1,2, Girls Glee Club-1,2,4, Librarian-4, Dramatics-3,4, Dramatics Corresponding Sec.-4, Class Play-3, Basketball-1-4, Y-Teens-1-4, Y-Teens Cabinet-3,4, Annual Staff-4, Pep Club-2. Chorus-1-4

JANET GUSS "Jan" Concert Band-2, Girls Glee Club-l,2,4, Class Treas.2, Class Play-2, Cheerleader-l, Basketball-l,2, Y-Yeens-3,4, Chorus-l,2,4,

JOHN MINGE "Mange"

Proj. Club-2,3,4, Class Pres 2, Vice-Pres.-l, Sec.-4, Student Council-l, Football-l-4, Hi-Y-l-4, Track-l, F.F.A.-l-4, F.F.A. Vice-Pres.-3, Pres. -4, Letter Club-4, Letter Club Sec. & Treas.-4

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KATHRYN STILLE "Kathie" Girls Glee Club-2, Pep Band-2, Marching Band-1,2,3, Concert Band-1,2,3, Librarians-3,4, Dramatics Off.-3,4, Y-Teens-1-4, Pep Club-2, Princ. Sec.-4, Homecoming Attendent-3,4, Chorus-3.4

RONALD WALLACE "Wally" Proj. Club-2,3,4, Class Treas. -2, Class Vice-Pres.-4, Basketball-1-4, Football-1-4, Hi-Y-1-4, Annual Staff-4, Track-1,2, Letter Club-4, Letter Club Vice-Pres.-4

GEORGE B. SCOTT "Babe" Boys Glee Club-1-4, Projectors Club-3, Class Play-3, Student Council-3, Basketball-1, Football-2,3,4, Hi-Y-1-4, Annual Staff-4, Volcano Staff-4, Pep Club-2, Boys Quartet-2,3,4, Madrigal-3, Track-1.2, Carnival Attendent3, Letter Club-4

CANDUS STAHNKE "Candy" Marching Band-1-4, Concert Band-1-4 Class Sec.-3, Dramatics-3:4, Cheerleader-2,4, Student Council-2 Basketball-1, Y-Teens-114, Y-Teens Sec.-3, Y-Teens Pres.-4, Y-Teens Cabinet-3,4, Annual Staff-4, Pep Club-2, Y-Teens State Cabinet-3
SHERI SHIELDS Girls Glee Club-1. Li-

brarians-3,4, Dramatics-2,

3, Class Play-3, Y-Teens-l-

4, Pep Club-2

LOREN STUVICK "Stud" Projectors Club-2,3,4, Dramatics-3,4, Class Play-3, Basketball-2,3,4, Football-3,4, Hi-Y-2,3,4, Track-1,2, F.F.A.-1,2,3,4, One Act Plays-3, Letter Club-4

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 $DWIGHT\ ORTON\ "Ort"\ Projectors\ Club-2, 3,4,\ Cheerleader-2,\ Basketball-3,4,\ Hi-Y-1,2,3,4,\ Pep\ Club-2,\ Track-1,2,3,4,\ F.F.A.-1,2,3,4,\ Letter\ Club-4$ 

JANICE KING

Basketball-1,2, Y-Teens-1, 2,3,4

SHARON SCHANTZ "Toots" Pep Band-1,2, Marching Band-1,2, Concert Band-1,2, Librarians-2,3,4, Y-Teens-1-4, Annual Staff-4, Pep Club-2, Carnival Attendent-2

JOHN WILLIAMS "Johnny" Boys Glee Club-1-4, Projectors Club-2, Class Pres.-1, Dramatics-2,3,4, Class Play-

3, Student Council-1, Hi-Y1-4, Hi-Y Pres.-4, Annual Staff-4, Boys Quartet-3,4, Madrigal-3, Mixed Quartet-3,4, All-State Chorus-3, Track-1-4, F.F.A.-1-4, F.F.A.-Off.1,2,3, F.F.A. Quartet-1-4, Letter Club-4, Speech Contest Winner-3,4, Chorus-1-4

RUTH SPRAGUE

Pep Band-1,2, Concert Band-1,2, Marching Band-1,2, Girls Glee Club-1, Dramatics-2,3, Y-Teens-1-4, Annual Staff-4, Pep Club-2, Chorus-3

BEVERLY STILL "Bev" Girls Glee Club-1-4, Librarians-3,+, Dramatics-1-4, YTeens-1-4, Volcano Staff-4, Pep Club-2, Madrigal-3, Sextet-3,4, One Act Play-3, Triple Trio-2, Chorus-1-4

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# BONNIE BROWN

Class Play-3, Y-Teens-1,213, 4, Y-Teen Cabinet-4, Chorus-

GLEN HOSSMAN "ROSS" Boys Glee Club-3, Projectors Club-2,3,4, Dramatics-3, Basketball-1,2,3, Football-1,2,3,4, Hi-Y-1,2,3,4, Annual Staff-4, Madrigal-3, One Act Plays-3, Chorus-1, 2,3,4,

JACKIE KEAT "Keats" Projectors Club-2,3,4, Football-1,27 Hi-Y-4, F.F.A.-1, 2,3,4

ELLEN HEDSTROM "Reddy" Y-Teens-1,2,3,4, Librarians-3

CHARLENE BURKHART "CHARLIE" Girls Glee Club-1, Librarians -3,4, Dramatics-2,3,4, YTeens-2,3,4, Pep Club-2, Principal Sec.-4, One Act Play-1, Chorus-1,4

RONALD MEANS "Ron" Class Pres.-3,4, Class Play-3, Student Council-2,3,4, Student Council Sec.-2, Basketball-1-4, Football-1-4, Hi-Y-1-4, Track-1-4, Letter Club-4

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JUDY McCULLOUGH "Mac"

Marching Band-1,2, Girls Glee Club-4, Librarians-3,4, Class Vice-Pres.-2, Class Treas.-3, Dramatics-2,3,4, Class Play-3, Student Council-4, Student Council Pres.-4, Basketball-2, Y-Teens-1-4, Y-Teens Treas.-3, Y-Teens Cabinet-3,4, Annual Staff-4, Pep Club-2, Princ. Sec.-4, Librarian Pres.-3, Librarians Soc. Chairman-4, Chorus-4, Speech Contest Winner-2,3

MARGARET PETERSON "Maggie" Pep Band-1,2,3, Marching Band-1,2,3, Girls Glee Club-1,2,3, Librarians-2,3,4, Librarian Off.-4, Dramtics-1-4, Dramatics Pres.-4, Class Play-3, Y-Teens-1-4, Y-Teens Cabinet-3,4, Y-Teens Vice-Pres.-4, Annual Staff-4, Pep Club-2, Princ. Sec.-4, One Act Play-3, Carnival Attendent-1, Homecoming Queen-4, Chorus-2,3,4

LOU ANN PATTERSON "Lou" Girls Glee Club-1-4, Dramatics-2,3,4, Class Play-3, Cheerleaders-3,4, Y-Teens1-4, Y-Teens Cabinet-4, Annual Staff-4, Volcano Staff-3,4, Pep Club-2, Madrigal-3, Octet-2, Sextet-2,4, Mixed Quartet-2,3, All-State Chorus-2,3, Trio-1,2,3, F.F.A. Quartet Accomp.-2,4, Triple Trio-1, Homecoming Attendent-3, Chorus-1-4, Girls Quartet-1

BERNIECE JAMES "Jessie" Marching Band-1,2, Concert Band-1,2, Girls Glee Club-1-4, Class Sec.-2, Dramatics-2,3,4, Class Play-3, Y-Teens-1-4, Y-Teens Cabinet-2,4, Pep Club-2, Madrigal-3, Octet Accomp.-2, Sextet-2,3, Sextet Accomp.-4, Trio Accomp.-1,2,3, Princ. Sec.-4, Triple Trio-2, Triple Trio Accomp.-1, Carnival Attendent-3. Chorus-1-4

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Class History

Our history of thirteen long but happy years started in the fall of 1941, when thirty two shy and bashful little boys and girls entered kindergarten. Through destiny and fate, only seven of the thirty two were to go through all thirteen years together. Those seven are: George Scott, Beverly Still, Ron Means, Lou Ann Patterson, Jim Bauer, Jane Enarson, and Marilla Ankeny. James Black, Shirley Black, and Ruth Sprague were gone part of those years. The others in the kindergarten class were: Anabelle Arbuckle, Judy Moriarty, Lois Goodwin, Nancy Moore, Georgia Graham, JoAnn Wagaman, John Armstrong, Phillip Currin, Gene Sunkin, Billy Wohenhous, Dwylla Kelly, Marvin Hess, Verla Bean, Alice Bosteder, Leah Ne Northrup, Florence Matson, Jerrot Gear, Gary Kirby, Billy West Donna Finkle, Donald Overman, Margaret Waage, and Lois Shrimpton. We had a little band that year. We had alot of rhythm but made little music. Our teacher was Mrs. Vivian

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In the first grade we had eight new faces in our room. They were: Ray Rhamy, Russell Acton, Evelyn Baker, Marvin Potter, Alfred Hendry, and Peggy and Betty Storm. The faces of Shirley Black, Nancy Moore, Ruth Sprague, and Alice Bosteder were gone. We moved our classroom because of the cold. Miss Carpenter was our teacher.

Second grade Ruth Sprague came back. Ron Wallace, Virgil Core, and Urias Garey entered our class for the first time. We lost Florence Matson, Evelyn Baker, Billy West, and James Black. A May Festival was given. Our representatives were Beverly Still and Billy Wohenhous. Our teacher was Miss Katherine Meyers. James Black and Alice Bosteder were back in the third grade besides: Clifford Hendry, but we lost: Donna Finkle, Verla Bean, Leah Ne Northrup, and John Armstrong. Two plays were given that year, one was the Dutch play "Under the Windmill" and the other was "Rumplestiltskin." At the May Festival Jim Bauer and Anabelle Arbuckle were attendents. Our teacher was Mrs. Grav.

In the fourth grade we welcomed Evelyn Baker as a classmate again as well as two new ones. Glen Hossman and David Hanson. However we missed Russell Acton, Virgil Core, and Billy Wohenhous. No plays were given this year because of the war. Mrs. Clark was our teacher.

Twenty seven pupils enrolled for our fifth grade. New pupils were John Williams and Candus Stahnke. Shirley Black was alsO with us again. Missing were Clifford Hendry, Donald Overman, and Marvin Hess, who had gone to Germany. An operetta "Season of Happiness" was presented by the grade school. Miss Nelson was our teacher.

Four pupils joined us in sixth grade. They were: Virgil Core, Russell Acton, Clifford Hendry, and Marvin Hess. Sheri Shields and Alvis Smith were new. We lost Gene Sunkin, John Williams, and Phillip Currin, That year three brilliant pupils wrote a play "It Happened One Christmas." The authors were Georgia Graham, Jim Bauer, and George Scott. A walk out strike was planned but it turned out to be unsucessful. Our teacher was Miss Redburn. A few of the pupils attended her wedding at the end of the year.

Jr. High at last. In seventh grade six new persons joined our class. They were Betty Raines, Ray Ankeny, Duane Hall, Marilyn Couch, and Vincent Else. Marvin Hess, David Hanson, and Alvis Smith moved away. Two plays "Beep-Beep-, Clang-Clang, Boop-Oppa-Doop," and the "Life of the Party." We had three teachers that year. They were Miss Miller, Miss Gurber, and Miss Shaffer.

Our eighth grade class grew to thirty six. New in the class were: John Minge, Dwight Orton, Pam Pearson, Judy McCullouch, Jack Keat, Bob Andrew, and Janice King. John Williams rejoined us and Alfred Hendry left us. A play was presented at the High School Carnival entitled "The Last Laugh." Our graduation party was held at the Clarinda Skating Rink. Georgia Graham was class president and representative to the Student Council. Our teachers were Miss Peters and Mrs. Dye. Graduation was held in the High School Auditorium May 18, 1950. In the fall of 1950, we finally reached the last long step of our education which we hoped would come to a happy end in 1954.

As freshmen we were very active, or at least we thought we were. We started out with fifty six in our class. We were joined by Marlin Williams, Sharon Schantz, Edith Stanley, Beverly Bergren, Berniece James, Duane Nippert, Ruby Wirth, Hal Prowett, Stanley Carmicheal, Dorothy Kimpson, Duane Vanausdale, Duane Hall, Loren Stuvick, Janis Archer, Janice King, Bonnie Brown, Ruth Barr,

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Margaret Peterson, Kathryn Stille, Charlene Hayes, Ellen Hedstrom, and Darwin Werner. We elected as our class officers, John Williams, John Minge, Jim Bauer, and Ray Ankeny. Our Student Council representatives were John Williams and John Minge. As our class party we went skating in Clarinda. Our sponsors were Miss Rusk and Miss Kolberg.

Our Sophomore year was a gay one. We lost more school mates than we gained. We gained Gene Murren, Charlene Burkhart, Raymond Kimpson, and Shirley Dollen. We lost Alice Bosteder, Raymond Kimpson, Dorothy Kimpson, Charlene Hayes, Duane Hall, Darwin Werner, Dwylla Kelly, Betty Raimes, Edith Stanley, Lois Shrimpton, and Judy Moriarty. Class officers were John Minge, Judy McCullough, Berneice James, and Ron Wallace. Our Student Council representatives were Ron Means, Jim Black, and Candus Stahnke. Our sponsors were Miss Gardner, and Mr. Humphrey. We had a square dance and chili supper for our party. Lettermen were Ron Means, Ron Wallace, Jim Bauer, George Scott, Russell Acton, John Williams, John

Minge, and Loren Stuvick. Marilla Ankeny and Jane Enarson lettered in Girls Basketball.

We are at last upper classmen!! This was a very busy and industrious year. Our class play was "It's A Great Life." A lot of time and energy was put into our prom. The theme was "Chinese Gardens." We elected as our sponsors Miss George and Mrs. Yungschlager. Our Student Council representatives were Ron Means, George Scott, and Shirley Dollen. Class officers were Ron Means, Candus Stahnke, Jim Black, and Judy McCullough. This year we gained Janet Guss and Jim Eichelberger. During the second semester we lost Duane Vanausdale, and Jim Eichelberger.

Long last!! We finally reached the top! This year was a very exciting one. Although we didn't accomplish too much, we had a lot of fun. We only lost one member of our class, Anabelle Arbuckle. This year we elected Ron Means, Evelyn Baker, Ron Wallace, and John Minge as our class officers. Our sponsors were Mr. Berg and Mr. Laipple. Our Student Council members were Judy McCullough, Evelyn Baker, Ruth Barr, and Ron Means. As our class party we had a hayride.

At this time we would like to thank all those who helped us through the past thirteen years. And we will always remember Villisca High, no matter where we are or what we are doing.

Class Prophecy

Case History--Los Angeles Police Department

The story you are about to read is true--only the color has been changed to prevent a scandal.

The year is 1964--The place, Villisca, Iowa

At nine-fifteen the call came in from the chief--the entire senior class of 1954 was missing. My job was to find them. The chief's name is Faraday, my assistant was Saturday, my name is Friday.

At ten-twenty I reported at Villisca High School, where the students were last seen. I talked to Supt. Anderson for 53 minutes, booked him on a vagrancy charge, then continued on the case.

At 11:03 I raided the Conoco Station, now owned by Sheri Shields. I booked her on a 903 for disturbing the peace after she shot her husband, Dean Gage. I learned from the big boys in the pool hall that George Scott, after going broke from throwing too many parties, was now residing at the County Poor Farm in Stanton, feeding rabbits to earn his keep.

Ronald Wallace has just finished remodeling his hot rod so he and his fiance, Evelyn Baker can go to Arkansas to get married. It is rumored that he is making her pay two cents a mile for the trip.

Professor Dwight Orton of the Mass. Institute of Technology, recently astounded the scientific world, as he has just perfected his own technique for manufacturing saw dust from diamonds.

Girls, is your beauty slipping????! If so come to Duane Nippert's Beauty Salon in West Dickyville. (Paid advertisment)

John Hinge was recently employed as a dance instuctor for the Arthur Murray dancing school in New York.

Jim Black is now working for Ringling Bros. Circus. He has just been billed as the worlds tallest man. Recently he was measured at 15 feet and 8 inches tell

Bev Bergren finally got tired of driving hot rods and decided to teach

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drivers training in Bee Bee Town.

Judy McCullough and Berniece James can now be seen on television every Wednesday night, on the Pabst Blue Ribbon Bouts. They are women wrestlers.

When Penny suddenly decided to leave town, Ellen Hedstrom took over his job of picking up pop bottles, she also sells flea powder as a side line.

Charlene Burkhart just broke the speed record for the cross-country bicycle race.

Janis Archer is now known as Two-pail Archer, the only girl who can milk two cows at one time.

Ruth Sprague is now the "big boss" at the Villisca Review.

Candy Stahnke is now the P.T. teacher in V.H.S. She decided that it was the only way to keep her school girl figure.

John Williams and his wife, the former Sharon Schantz, are now missionaries in Southern Thailand.

Gene Murren just recently gave up raising hogs and decided to raise cane. He and his wife, the former Ruth Barr, recently bought the largest sugar plantation in Cuba.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Means are now living in Sidney, Iowa, where they are raising "ducks". His wife is the former Jane Enarson.

James Allen Bauer, the ace football player from VHS, is recovering from injuries received while making passes at Mrs. Ray Ankeny, the former Beverly Still.

Kathie Stiller after waiting ten years, finally joined the Wacs to be with Dick. She is now the private secretary for General Jack Keat.

Glen Hossman, after electing Eisenhower for his third term as President, recently refused the vice-presidency to take his old job of testing Hazel Bishop Lipstick.

Janet Guss, now the owner of a 2000 acre farm in Wyoming recently proposed to Russell Acton. Of course he accepted and they are going to be married next week.

Margaret Peterson, now owner of Lines Central Market, eloped with Loren Stuyick last week after going steady with Everett Larson for the last 23 years.

Word has not yet been heard from Stan Carmichael, but it is rumored that he eloped with Bonnie Brown back in '55.

Lou Ann Patterson is now the Dean of Men, at the Nebraska University. Vincent Else, who was once Reno's star brownie has succeeded Reno Smith as F.F.A. basketball coach.

Shirley Black, Janice King and families are now residing in Hawlyville raising goats.

Shirley Dollen has been hired as babysitter for Coach Jones' 12 kids in Atlantic. That way she can be near her old flame.

Manilla Ankeny is new head of the Ankeny & Ayres Construction Company. And so, with the help of Saturday, a year later we had rounded up all 40 members of the class of "54". We here-by declare this case closed!!! Class Will

We, the Senior Class of the small metropolis of Villisca High, county of Montgomery, and state of Iowa, being of sound mind and memory, supposedly, do hereby make and declare this to be our last will and testament. Therefore, it shall in no way or ways be altered, changed, added to or subtracted from, or otherwise defaced, lest

CHIEF EXECUTOR

We appoint "Sir Aron Laipple" as chief executor of this will.

ARTICLE I

To Miss Gardner--we leave the worn and torn magazines in the library.

To Mr. Anderson--we leave our unfinished physics problems. We hope you can do them because we can't.

the villian be subjected to punishment under the law of this, the state of Iowa.

To Mrs. Youngman--we leave our aching muscles. Linament won't help.

To Coach Jones--we return all the raw deals in Government and American Problems

To Mr. Laipple--we leave our excuses for admit slips since we won't be using them any more.

ARTICLE II

To the Freshman--we leave our quiet ways in study halls.

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To the Sophomores--we leave our good grades and ability to keep off the failure list.

To the Juniors--we leave our orderliness in the halls.

ARTICLE III

Russell Acton--leaves Carol Starlin to anyone that wants her during school

hours but he wants her back at four o'clock.

Manilla Ankeny--leaves her ability to stick to one man to La Von Adair who has had many recently.

Raymond Ankeny--leaves his ability to hold a job as a waiter to Joyce Freeman. She has tried several times before.

Janis Archer and Evelyn Baker--wish to leave their quiet ways to Donna Burdan and Barbara Ruppert.

Shirley Back and Janice King--leave their book which they have just finished writing called "How to Skip

School and Get Away With It" to Donna Vannausdale, Norma Waage, and Marlyn Gray.

Ruth Barr--leaves Robert Andrew to her sister Mary. At least that's keeping him in the family.

Jim Bauer--thankfully leaves his job as Annual Editor to some unlucky Junior.

Beverly Bergren--leaves her careful driving habits to Bruce Jamison. If you use them Bruce you can still save the other three fenders.

Candy Stahnke—leaves her ability to cheerlead to Janet Peterson, who already knows how.

Bonnie Brown-leaves her ability to sleep in class to any underclassman who has insomnia.

Charlene Burkhart--wills her slim figure to Darwin Forsythe. Inheriting this is much easier than reducing Darwin

Stanly Carmichael--sorrowfully leaves his pipe and tobacco to Marlyn Gray.

Shirley Dollen--leaves her ability to get Atlantic boys to Carolyn Mitch-

ell. Now Carolyn you've got, boys in all the neighboring

towns.

Vincent Else--wills his job as basketball manager to David Snow. The players have already initiated him.

Jane Enarson--leaves here ability to get A's to Joel Freeman. Now Joel, get off that failure list next year.

Janet Guss--leaves her everlasting cheerfulness(HA!)

Ellen Hedstrom—leaves her fighting in the hall to Jim Baker and Joe Green

field. Stay out of those alleys boys.

Glen Hossman--just leaves. That's enough!

Berniece James--wills her Drivers Traning experience to Leo Davies. Think it will help?

Judy McCullough and Bev Still--Leave all their out of town trips to Mary Barr. What does Clarinda have anyway girls?

Dwight Orton--Leaves his muscles to Dewey Fastenau. Oh, Dewey you muscles bound brute.

George Scott--leaves that Chevy to anybody who will take it.

Loren Stuvick--leaves his height to John Bryant. He eats Wheaties John. Ronnie Means and Ron Wallace--will their ability to bluff and argue with

the teachers to all the underclassmen. Hope you have

better luck then they did.

John Williams--leaves his warbling ability to DWI Lindell. Don, please

don't run Eddie Fisher out of business.

Margaret Peterson--leaves her ability to be queen of everything to Mary Shepherd.

Duane Nippert—leaves his cow milking ability to Nancy Moore.

Gene Murren--leaves his noisy car to Bonnie Ankeny, a former Driver's

Training student. Don't forget your earplugs Bonnie. Ruth Sprague--leaves her willingness to always flirt with the boys to

Jean Doan.

Sheri Shields--leaves the ability to run into two cars at one time to

Donna Mains. Driver's Training helps, or does it Sheri?? Jack Keat--wills his ability to leave school for coffee during 8th periods

to all the remaining students of VHS who can get by with it. Sharon Schantz--wills her great attraction to the Navy to Ilean Lindberg. Kathie Stille--wills ber ability to write long letters to Donna Finkle. Jim Black--wills his great stature to Ceicle Wilcoxen. Just call him

"Shorty" kids.

Lou Ann Patterson--leaves her musical ability to Mary Himiller.

John Minge--leaves his ability to get A's in Bookkeeping to all the future flunkies of next years class.

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We, the Seniors, having spent little time and no thought in the writing of this will, with you to know that we give these gifts from the bottom of our little hearts. Now having done our best to make you the underclassmen happy, we bow before Father Time's Command and leave dear VHS.

Senior Snapshots

Mmm Boy!!

\$ Nice \$

Testing - 1-2

Hot Rod

Editors!

With Great Exuberance

I cCan – Can You?

Chums

"Beat It"

Just Nine?

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Senior Class Poem

Now back in the fall of '53

The Senior class started their tree. Twas a mighty one to young and old

And it stopped the underclassmen cold.

The girls would gaze, admiration plus

Ron Means their hero, the lucky cuss.

Then there was Jim, so tall and gruesome

Don't you think he and Lou would make a lovely twosome?

And along comes Wally, in his slick little '40 That boy and his car, they sure look sporty. Then there's Russ, and Carol, the perfect pair The way some people talk, the opposition's unfair.

There's Kathy and Maggie, (no longer free) (Bet their secret desire's to go out on a spree) Beverly and Dick, they're still running around Bev the announcer and Dick, he's the clown.

There's Janet and Llovd, best couple of all

They make up in width, what they left out in tall. Then's Jack and Stan, the worst in the game,

They still shrug and shriek at the sight of a dame.

But our couple most timid is Stuvick and Red Most all will agree, the boy's touched in the head. There's poor old John Minge, raiser of cattle Say, his Ford will be junk, if it gets one more rattle.

Then comes preacher John Williams, the inconstant lover Although Janet's tall, he still towers above her. Now comes Berneice James, charmer of guys

She can make the boys howl be rolling those eyes.

Ruth Sprague, a steady of VHS

Looks forward to matrimony I guess.

Dwight Orton's another hard type to place

But you'll always find Dwight with that smile on his face.

But those girls in Glenwood George Scott can find And to hear him tell it, it's routine grind. Then comes Jim Black, smallest senior by far But don't mistake him, he's right up to par.

There's Judy McCullough, a far cry from cupid

But has that girl got brains, she'll make you look stupid. Then come Ellen and Charlene, the girls with the charms They'd giggle and shriek at a boy in their arms.

Each noon at 12:30 you'll see Bob and Ruth Barr Stay right with him "Hootchie", that's a pretty hot car. There's Sharon and Evelyn, the best of friends Those gals and their diamond? What romantic trends.

That's a few of our classmates, the wonderful fellows Both loyal and true till we swing from the gallows. So we leave VHS, the school not to fear

But most faces mentioned won't appear here next year.

# Ray Ankeny

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Underclassmen

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Junior Class
Pres. Janet Peterson
Vice-Pres. Dick Weiner
Sec. Linda Moore
Treas. Allen Marsh
Ass't. Treas. Larry Cozad
Bob Andrew
Tom Beavers
Darlene Boswell
Charles Cunningham
Kevin Carlson
Clythia Burns
John Bryant
Martha Darnold

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Nova Lee Elswick

Orin Doll

Wavne Grady Chuck Griffith Carol Jean Smith Wayne Guss John Stakley Ilean Lindberg Darwin White Frank Gary Dewey Fastenau Elaine Enarson Rex Eberly Donna Mains Junior Minge Carolyn Mitchell Nancy Moore Donald Overman

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Joan Palmquist

Carol Patterson

Marilyn Saemisch Verde Phillis Roland Gourley Helen Howell Rose Selby Lloyd Rupp Carl Sierp Mary Shepherd

Jon Goodman

Bob Radford

Connie Reavis

Bruce Jamison

Jerry Penton

Carolyn Lenhardt

Le Roy Overman

Not Pictured

Bob White, Ronnie Taylor, Richard Cordes

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Sophomore Class

Fourth Row: A. Kernen, E. Hill, P. Beery, W. Smith, L. Davies, N. Anson, K. Richey, D. Windom, K. Sierp, J. Olenius, C. Burton, R. Means, M. Boulduan, Third Row: Sponsor-F. Humphrey, E. Lee, B. Brenton, W. Baker, M. Gray, C. Smith, J. Olenius, J. Norcross, S. Draper, J. Freeman, N. Freeman, J. Doan, A. Meir, M. Barr. Second Row: S. Carmichael, B. Forsythe, M. Hossman, J. Peterson, C. Crouse, M. Himiller, L. Johnson, V. Hein, R. Units, B. McFarland, C. Starlin, Sponsor-B. Yungschlager, First Row: V. Else, R. Brown, S. Stevenson, L. Raines, B. Ankeny, J. Bashaw, S. Cozad, J. Sanders, D. Vannausdale, N. Waage, L. Adair, D. Snow. Not pictured-Jean Shipman.

Officers

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Freshmen Class

Fourth Row: Sponsor-D. Holstrom, P. Wagaman, J. Freeman, D. Archer, J. Moser, V. Ashmore, M. Peterson, C. Wilcoxin, D. Wilcoxin, T. Davies, J. Baker, J. Linn, J. Olson, J. Greenfield K. Adair.

W. Johnson, Sponsor-W. Maddox. Third Row: B. Anson, J. Palmquist, J. Hedstrom, R. Bean, B. Ruppert, D. Burden, J. Means, B. Johnson, D. Williams, R. Patterson, L. Reynolds, D. Williams, R. Lewis, L. Eberly, D. Finkle, L. Nippert, B. Neal. Second Row: D. Lindell, B. Webster, P. Dogget, R. Arterburn, S. Fisher, P. Hein, S. Frazee, L. Buffon D. Forsythe, D. Hanson, R. Sprague, R. Walters,

B. McFarland, J. Sprague, G. Fisher, D. Lewis. First Row:

W. Wheeler, K. Hoyt, W. Overman, C. McKinley, H. Waage, F. Baker, S. Dotson, J. Smith S. Stevenson, H. Wilhelm, F. Brown, P. Barr, W. Johnson, K. Stuvick, F. Smith, R. Hill, B. Brown, L. Taylor.

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Secretary Janet Palmquist

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1. Watch the Birdie 2. Boy it's hot!!! 3. What a Mess 4. Some Fun!!

5. Embarrassing Moment 6. Nice Tan 7. Gruesome Twosome 8. No End To Education 9. Night of Nights 10. What Is It? 11. Hi-Ho Silver 12. Guess Who? 13. Shame Shame 14. For Pity Sake 15. Some Girl 16. Congratulations

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Activities

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Senior Editor Lou Ann Patterson

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Prophesy Glenn Hossman Beverly Bergren

Typist Shirley Black Sharon Schantz Janice Archer

Sports Editor — Ronnie Wallace

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Michael Croxdale Patty Bauer Shirley Needham Bobby Sierp

This year book of the Class of 1954 is an attempt to capture and preserve the many memories of our school days. We have recorded on these pages some of the happenings of our past days of school, and the names and pictures of our teachers, classmates, and friends. When we review these pages in the years to come, may they bring back happy recollections of our high school days.

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# Student Council

Left to Right: Back Row-R. Lewis, R. Barr, J. Sanders, J. Peterson, J. Bauer, R. Means, D. Williams, T. Ten Eyke, L. Sprague, P. Doggett. Front Row-S. Draper, E. Baker, B. Jamison, J. McCullough, D. Weiner, A. Meier, Mr. Laipple (Sponsor).

The Student Council co-ordinates all student activities. Although the Council has no actual authority they can make recommendations to the administration. The Student Council selects assemblies, supervises cheerleader elections, and helps solve problems of the school. This year they set up a system by which to pass to lunch and made pennants of conference schools for basketball. The Council was first organized in 1949. They try to bring the students and faculty members closer together. Members are elected from each home room with the presidents of the Junior, Senior, and Junior High classes, and the editor of the school paper as beneficial members.

# OFFICERS

L. to R. Sec. Dick Weiner; Pres. Judy McCullough; Adviser Mr. Laipple; Vice Pres. Bruce Jamison; Treas. Alan Meier

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Mixed Chorus

The Chorus was made up of high school students selected by the director Mr. Paul Thompson. A Christmas choral program and a program at cooking school were put on. The chorus sang in the festival at Shenandoah. Practice was every Tuesday and Thursday morning, with Elain Enarson acting as accompanist. Girls Glee Club was held Thursday 8th period while Boys Glee Club practiced Friday 8th period. Mr. Thompson had special tryouts for small groups and a Boys Quartet and a Girls Sextet were formed.

Band

The Band worked hard this year to earn money for new suits which they hope to purchase next season. A Mothers Council was formed to help them raise money. They performed in many ways this year. Some of these were; formations at football games, Homecoming parade, helped chorus on their Christmas program and

cooking school. The director was Mr. Paul Thompson.

Y- Teens

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Senior and Junior Y-Teens

Sophomore and Freshmen Y-Teens

Activities of the Club

The Y-Teen Club took part in many activities this year. They had a Father-Daughter Banquet, Mother-Daughter Tea, Initiation, Freshmen Round-Up, Kiddie Party, Valentine Dance, Installation of Officers, Sponsored Jacquelyn and sent girls to Summer Camp. Y-Teens chose Miss Carolyn Becker as their sponser at the leaving of Mrs. Yungschlager

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Y- Teen Cabinet

Pres. C. Stanke

Vice Pres. -- M. Peterson

Treas. A. Baker

Sec. M. Darnold

Cor. Sec. C. Patterson

Program J. Palmquist

Social J. McCullough B. James

Music D. Mains

Publicity R. Barr

Pianist F. Enarson

Popcorn C. Crouse B. Brown Finance L. Moore M. Hossman

Service J. Enarson L. Patterson

Sponsor C. Becker

Newspaper Staff

The Journalism Class is one of the most popular classes in high school due to the experience and the fun the students have in putting out the Volcano. The school paper is published monthly. The Editor was Evelyn Baker with Miss Florence Burrisch as sponsor.

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Hi-Y Club

Clean Sport, Clean Speech, Clean Living, is the platform of the Hi-Y Boys. They try to spread this throughout the school. The boys had movies during meetings, donated to the Red Cross, had Installation of officers, and played Hi-Y Tournament basketball. They sponsored a dance after a basketball game. The club worked hard raising money to help promote club work.

OFFICERS

L. to R. Treas. Ray Ankeny; Sec. David Snow; Vice Pres. Bob Radford; Pres. John Williams; Chaplin David Windom; Advisor Mr. Don Holstrom

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Drama Club

Back Row-G. Hossman, J. Minge, L. Stuvick, D. Weiner, G. Scott, R. Ankeny, T. Beavers, R. Cordes B. Radford, D. Wilcoxen, M. Peterson,

L. Overman, R. Gourley, D. White, B. White, B. Patterson. Third Row-J. Peterson, C. Burkhart, K. Stifle, S. Shields, B. Bergren, C. Stahnke, J. Williams, A. Marsh, J. Bauer, J. Minge, B. Jamison, R. Taylor, S. Dollen, J. Norcross, S. Draper, N. Moore, D. Williams, Miss Stratton (Sponsor). Second Row-M. Saemisch, B. James, P.

Hein, P. Doggett, L. Patterson, J. McCullough, M. Peterson, R. Sprague, J. Bashaw, C. Smith, C. Smith, J. Olenuis, I. Lindberg, C. Lenhardt, C. Crouse, J. Enarson, L. Taylor. Front Row-C. Patterson, S. Stevenson, M. Hossman, J. Means, J. Hedstrom, J. Palmquist, S. Fisher, W. Johnson, J. Sanders, C. Reavis, N. Elswick, B. Still, P. Barr.

Under the direction of Miss Betty Stratton the Villisca Drama Club presented three one-act plays for the Declam contest. Many of the members entered individual readings. Assembly programs were worked up for the all-school carnival. This club helped plan for Homecoming and the Homecoming dance. They sponsored a dance after a basketball game to make money.

# OFFICERS

L. to R. Sec. and Tres. Ron Taylor; Cor. Sec. Jane Enarson; Pres. Margaret Peterson; Vice Pres. Janet Peterson; Advisor Miss Stratton

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Librarians

Top row: C. Mitchell, M. Darnold, J. Enarson, L. Moore, J. Norcross, N. Moore, E. Enarson, Third row-C. Burkhart, B. Bergren, S. Shields, J. McCullough, M. Peterson, C. Smith, R. Units, N. Freeman, D. Boswell, Second row-K. Stifle, B. Still, B. Ankeny, J. Palmquist, S. Schantz, E. Baker, R. Barr, Miss Gardner, First row-C. Reavis, M. Hossman, N. Elswick, C. Patterson, D. Mains, I. Lindberg.

Each girl in the Library Club had an active part in the club this year. Two girls had charge of the library each period, they had charge of books, papers and magazines taken from the library. A Christmas supper was held at Marsh's Cafe with the exchange of gifts. Advisor was Miss Lila Gardner.

# OFFICERS

L. To R. Social Chairmen Judy McCullough and Margaret Peterson; Sec. Nova Lea Elswick; lst Vice Pres. Ilene Lindberg; Pres. Elaine Enarson; 2nd Vice Pres. Carolyn Mitchell; Treas. Linda Moore

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"V" Club

Back Row-R. Ankeny, L. Cozad, L. Davies, G. Murren, J. Goodman, D. Weiner, D. Fastenau, R. Wallace, E. Lee, Third Row-Mr. Humphrey, V. Else, B. Jamison, L. Stuvick, J. Hinge, R. Means, M. Peterson, V. Ashmore, Mr. Jones. Second Row-L. Rupp, G. Scott, J. Hinge, B. Radford, R. Acton, B. Kernen. Front Row-D. Orton, C. Sierp, J. Bauer, J. Williams, A. Marsh, C. Griffith.

This was a newly formed club, with Coaches Mr. Fred Humphrey and Mr. Ken Jones as advisor's. In order to belong a boy was required to have a letter in some sport. The boys sold hand-cleaner to earn money Blue and white jackets were bought by each member.

# OFFICERS

L. to H. Vice Pres. Ron Wallace; Pres. Jim Bauer; Sec. and Treas. John Minge

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# Camera Club

Back Row-J. Minge, D. Orton, R. Acton, A. Marsh, G. Hossman, J. Keats R. Ankeny. Second Row-L. Stuvick, D. Fastenau, J. Goodman, D. Weiner, E. Lee, G. Murren, L. Cozad, V. Else. Front Row-D. Nippert, B. Brenton, J. Penton, P. Beery, J. Bashaw, R. Cordes, B. Forsythe, D. White,

L. Rupp, V. Else, Mr. Berg.

The Club members were very eager to learn how to develop and print pictures. Different types of cameras were studied and when a member had learned to run the projector he was allowed to do so in class movies.

Money for films and the cost of pictures was raised by a dance after the games and showing movies at noons for a small fee.

#### OFFICERS

Advisor Mr. Elton Berg; Pres. Russ Acton; Vice Pres. Jon Goodmen; Sec. John Minge; Treas. Everette Lee

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Future Farmers of America

The Future Farmers of America were organized in Villisca in 1938. Seventy-two active members made up the Villisca Chapter this year.

Everyone in FFA is kept very busy. Some of the events were: National Convention held at Kansas City, Missouri, Parent-Son Banquet, Basketball games, hay rides, and field trips.

They had many ways to make money, the largest project was work day. This is a day set aside for all FFA members to work and turn the wages into the Treasury. This finances the Parent-Son Banquet.

Seargents at Arms John Williams and Dick Cordes; Sec. Alan Meir; Sponsor Mr. Reno Smith; Pres. John hinge; Vice Pres. Bob Radford; Treas. Ron Taylor; Reporter Junior Minge

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Homecoming

VHS QUEEN

Margaret Peterson

The football boys chose ten girls, four juniors and six seniors, the student body then elected a queen and four attendents. The queen was crowned by co-captains Jim Bauer and Ronny Means.

Billy and Cindy Maddocks carried the crown and a bouquet of red roses.

Villisca defeated Corning in a very successful Homecoming.

ATTENDENTS

L. to R. Elaine Enarson, junior; Jane Enarson, senior; Queen, Margaret Peterson, Senior; Kathie Stiller senior; Janet Peterson, junior.

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Athletics

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Football

Nine returning lettermen and a large group of promising newcomers greeted coach Ken Jones at opening football drill, and prospects for a successful season were bright.

Opening the season August 24, at the Bluejays field. The Jays posted an impressive 26 to 2 win over the Bedford Bulldogs. The Jays struck early and the happless Bulldogs were no match.

In the second game of the season the Atlantic Trojans arose victor over the Bluejays defeating them 27 to 12 on the Atlantic field. The strong line of the Trojans proved too much for the Bluejays as they fell behind by two touchdowns in the first half and failed to make up this ground in the final half of the game.

In the second conference game of the season the Jays squeezed out a 12 to 6 victory over the Shenandoah eleven. Both of the Jays scores came in the last nine minutes of the game.

Disaster hit the Jays in their fourth game of the season. When the Villisca team traveled to Glenwood to play the Rams on their home field, neither team scored the first half. But in the last half, the Jays couldn't stop the Glenwood eleven as they crossed the Jay's goal four times.

Fighting back hard after taking a 24 to 0 defeat at Glenwood, the Jays won their homecoming by beating a pesky Corning team for the first time in four years. The final score was 33 to 14.

In playing the sixth game of the season, the Jays met very little opposition and posted an easy 33 to 18 win over a weak Creston team. The Jays struck early and then the reserves took over and held the lead. The victory brought the Jays up to 3 wins and 2 losses in conference play.

The seventh game of the season was played against the Red Oak Tigers on their home field. The Bluejays fell behind 20 to 7 early in the game and failed to stage a comeback in the final two periods of play. Both teams played terrific defense the last half with neither team scoring.

Highlight of the season came in the last conference game of the season. A

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fighting Bluejay eleven was the master all evening and came out on top with a 19 to 6 victory over their traditional rivals Clarinda.

The last game of the season was played on the Jay's home field against the Big Reds from Missouri Valley. The Big Red's hadn't been beaten by an Iowa school but the Jays handled them in good fashion and came out with a decisive. 31 to 14 win. The victory gave the Jays 6 wins and 3 losses for a fine season record. Villisca was fourth in the Hawkeye-Eight Conference standings.

Villisca was well represented on the All-Conference selections by placing two members on the first team and two on the second team. Those on the first team were: Quarterback Ron Means and Tackle Al Marsh, a Junior. Ron was Honorary Captain on the All-Southwest team. Guard Dewey Fastenau and Center Jon Goodman, both Juniors, were on the second team All-Conference.

FIRST TEAM RUNNING "I" FORMATION.

Left to Right: Line-End Jim Bauer, Tackle John Minge, Guard Dewey Fastenau, Center Jon Goodman, Guard Carl Sierp, Tackle Al Marsh, End Loren Stuvick, 1-Back Ron Means, 2-Back Russ Acton, 3-Back George Scott, 4-Back Ron Wallace.

Center of line halts Corning

SENIOR LETTERMEN

Back for no gain.

Ron Wallace slides over for touchdown.

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RON MEANS Ouarterback RUSS ACTON Halfback RON WALLACE Halfback JOHN MINGE Tackle GEORGE SCOTT Fullback JIM BAUER End VINCENT ELSE JIM BLACK RAY ANKENY Halfback Halfback Halfback GLEN HOSSMAN LOREN STUVICK End End

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Boys Basketball Hawkeye Eight Standing Won Lost Atlantic Glenwood, 11 3 Red Oak 3

Creston Villisca. Clarinda 5 9 Corning Shenadoah 1 13

TOTAL POINTS 1093 TOTAL GAME AVG. 49.7 OPPONENTS POINTS 1124 OPPONENTS AVG. 51.1

1953-1954 BASKETBALL RESULTS:

(8 WINS 14 LOSSES)

VILLISCA 42 BEDFORD 58 VILLISCA 34 ATLANTIC 68 VILLISCA 28 ABRAHAM LINCOLN 43 VILLISCA 62 CLARINDA 69

VILLISCA 57 FARRAGUT 43 VILLISCA 46 FARRAGUT 47 (OVT.)

VILLISCA 66 STANTON 46 VILLISCA 41 RED OAK 49 VILLISCA 53 RED OAK 56 VILLISCA 57 SHENANDOAH 34 VILLISCA 53 GLENWOOD 47 VILLISCA 46 GLENWOOD 60 VILLISCA 48 CRESTON 50 VILLISCA 60 CRESTON 44 VILLISCA 41 CORNING 43 VILLISCA 48 CORNING 51 VILLISCA 51 AUDUBON 47 VILLISCA 53 ATLANTIC 52 VILLISCA 40 SHENANDOAH 39 VILLISCA 56 CLARINDA 66

VILLISCA 53 BEDFORD 62

The Villisca Bluejays met the Corning Red Raiders on the Corning floor during the Sectional Tournament. It was either teams victory untill the final minute ended. In the last second of play Corning dropped in a basket to defeat the Jays 50. to 48. But that's the game of BASKETBALL.

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THE BLUEJAY SQUAD OF 1953-1954

Left to Right: Top Row-Wayne Smith, Everette Lee, Vincent Ashmore, Marvin Peterson, Jim Moser and Dwight Orton. Second Row-Dick Weiner, (Manager) Ron Lewis, Willis Baker, Joel Freeman, Alan Meir, Richard Brown, Wayne Guss and Vincent Else (Manager). Third Row-Coach Humphrey, Bruce Jamison, Junior Minge, Kent Richey, Loren Stuvick, Chuck Griffith, Norman Anson and Coach Jones. Fourth Row-Jon Goodman, Ron Wallace, Dewey Fastenau, Ron Means, Jim Bauer and Russ Acton.

FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE SOUAD

Left to Right: Top Row-Coach Humphrey, Roger Sprague, Rex Eberly, Leo Davies, Jim Baker, Benny Johnson, Don Williams and Coach Jones. Bottom Row-John Bryant, (Manager) Gale Fisher, David Hanson, Rob Brown, Bill Kernen, John Bashaw and Jim Black.

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RON WALLACE A Scrapper from Start to Finish. Also a Defensive

Expert.

JIM BAUER

High Point Man

for the Season.

First Team All Conference.

RON MEANS rep Rebounder. Second Team All Conference,

RUSS ACTON

A Southpaw who

Was a Constant

Scoring Threat.

LOREN STUVICK Dependable at the Post and a Good Rebounder,

JON GOODMAN A Set-Shot Artist and back Next Year.

DEWEY FASTENAU An All Around Center and a Year To Go.

JUNIOR MINGE A Leader on Defense and Offense as a

Junior.

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Girls Basketball Team

Left to Right: Top Row-Coach Maddocks, M. Saemisch, J. Enarson, L. Moore, B. Anson, J. Peterson, V. Phillis, I. Lindberg (Manager), Miss Becker (Sponsor). Middle Row-J. Sprague, M. Ankeny, C. Patterson, J. Richey, C. Burns, R. Selby, P. Doggett, B. Staats, N. Christie. Bottom Row-P. Bauer, B. McFarland, F. Brown, W. Wheeler, H. Whilhem, M. Hossman, B. McFarland, L. Lines, S. Guss.

Coach Maddocks guided his girls basketball team to one of their most successful seasons. At Stennet during the county tournament, the Jayettes defeated Elliot, rated second best team in the county, and Stennett to reach the

finals. Over powered by Wales strength they had to settle for runner-up. In District play they won the consolation over New Market. The girls scored 816 points to their opponents 1037 through the year and finished the season with 5 wins and 15 defeats. Jane Enarson was Honorable Mention All-Southwest, Carol Patterson and Marilla Ankeny made the All Tournament team with Marilla as Honorary Captain.

ABOVE: Marilyn Saemisch and Farragut

forward battle for ball on Jays court.

LEFT: Marilla Ankeny, Jane Enarson, and Coach Maddocks proudly show trophies won in tournament play. Marina and Jane are the only two Seniors on the Girls squad.

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Track

DWIGHT ORTON CHUCK GRIFFITH RON MEANS VINCENT ELSE JOHN WILLIAMS

The 1954 high school track squad found the above returning letterman among the 71 members. The letterman and the events they enter are; John Williams, 880 yard run and two-mile relay, Dwight Orton, 880 yard run and two-mile relay, Vince Else, mile run and two-mile relay, Charles Griffith, 880 yard run and two-mile relay, Ron Means, hurdles and sprint relays.

This year's emphasis goes on the Tri-State meet at Tarkio College, Tarkio, Mo., in which the 1953 Bluejay squad of only eight members won the Class B championship.

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# CHEERLEADERS!

Joan Palmquist Carolyn Mitchell Lou Ann Patterson Donna Mains Candy Stahnke

2 ND TEAM Janice Hedstrom Janet Palmquist

Sheril Dotson

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WAKE UP! Junior Hight HALF WAY

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# EIGHTH GRADE

Third Row: Billy Scott, Eddie Joe Ankeny, Gordon Currin, Fred Burns, David Bodwell, Darwin Gary, Mike Croxdale, Morris Stille, Allen Gidley, Max Magnuson, John Sidwell, David Noble, Glenn Archer, Richard Johnson, Second Row: Gail Arterburn, Ann Stackhouse, Karene Carlson, Nita Brown, Ronnie Cooper, Arvid Gary, Patty Smith, Sharon Gray, Delores Oltman, Jeannie Richey, Nickie Christie, Pat Bauer, Patsy Erickson, Tommy Ten Eyke, Jim Brannan. First Row: Aven Brown, Merl McKinley, Gary Sprague, Carol Mack, Judd Nordyke, Jean Keats, Kathlene Neal, Sandra Guss, Barbra Staats, Linda Lines, Rickey Weil, Joanne Findley, Beverly Weaver, Teddy Peterson.

CLASS WILL

- I, Allan Gidley, will my power to keep girls gigling to David Baker.
- I, Nickie Christie, will Vincent to Verla Schenck.
- I. Patricia Bauer, will my ability to play a clarinet to Maurice Branan.

We, Linda Lines and Darwin Garey, will our seats in the balcony to Sharon Dotson and David Shepherd.

- I, Rickie Weil, will my job at Moore's to Richard Lee Core.
- I, David Noble, will my buddy "Lloyd" to Nancy Felt.
- I. Max Magnuson, will my paper route to Duane Anson.

We, Billy Scott and John Sidwell, will our ways with cheer-

leaders to Donald Hendry and Richard Phillis.

- I, Bob Klesath, will my football girdle to John Burton.
- I, Jim Brannan, will my little brother to Linda French.
- I. Sharon Grev, will my laughter to Lee Doll.
- I, Nita Brown, will my walk to Connie Hoyt.
- I, Jeanne Richie, will my basketball ability to Jean Doan.
- I, David Bodwell, will my ability to sleep in class to Larry Daniels.
- I, Morris Stille, will my cows to Richard Gray.
- I, Judd Nordyke, will two years dancing lessons to Sandra Garland.
- I, Tommy Ten Eyke, will the class presidency to Roger Poston.
- I, Merl McKinley, will my English book to Karen Bean.
- I, Patsy Erickson, will my Kleenex Box to Kay Adair.
- I, Gary Sprague, will my trusty bike to Janet Morris.
- I. Arvid Garey, will my curly hair to Marlis Raines. I, Freddie Burns, will my sailor hat to Charles Doan.
- I, Ann Stackhouse, will my red hair to Beverly Webster.
- I, Karene Carlson, will my bifocules to Elinor Hossman.

- I. Sharon Gray, will my job as asistant Street Cleaner to Connie
- I, Eddie Joe Ankeny, will my left handedness to Leo Farlin.
- I, Gordon Currin, will the window shade cord to Billy McFarland.
- I, Ronnie Cooper, will my noises to Peggy Brown.
- I. Patty Smith, will my T.V. magazines to Delores Peterson.
- I, Sandra Guss, will a years supply of hamburgers to Bob Sierp.
- I, Glenn Archer, will my buddy Max, to Sharon Gutherie.
- I, Gail Arterburn, will my quietness to Sharon Finkle.
- I, Beverly Weaver, will my ability to play softball to Donna Hinkle.
- I, Delores Oltman, will my "we don't know 'cause we can't think of anything" Shirley Askloff.
- I, Mike Croxdale, will my mechanical mindedness to Lois Sprague.
- I. Richard Johnson, will my old erasers, spit wads, thumb tacks, etc. to Judy Bodwell.
- I, Teddy Peterson, will my giggles to June Guss.
- I, Kathleen Neal, will my job in hot lunch to Bill Victor.
- We, Avon Brown and Carol Mack, will our friendship to Anna Currin and Verla Shensck.

We, Jean Keats and Nita Brown, will our mutual well feeling towards Ronnie Cooper to Mary Churchill.

I, Barbara Staats, will our front yard softball diamond to Tony Churhill.

SEVENTH GRADE

Third Row: Duane Anson, Larry Danielson, Roger Poston, David Shepherd, Bobby Sierp, Charles Doan, John Burton, Lee Doll, Bill Morgan, Maurice Brannan, Richard Gray, David Baker, Donald Hendry, Billy McFarland, Second Row: Marlis Raines, Donna Hinkle, Sharon Guthrey, Karen Bean, Linda French, Sharon Dotson, Janet Morris, Sandra Garland, Lois Sprague, Beverly Webster, Judy Bodwell, Peggy Brown, Connie

Hoyt, Judy Core. First Row: Nancy Felt, Kay Adair, Marie Branan, Connie Jamison, Elinor Hossman, Delores Peterson, Earle Hagle, Shirley Askloff, Leo Farlin, Anna Currin, Richard Phillis, Sharon Finkle, June Guss, Joan Guss, Richard Core.

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# SIXTH GRADE

Third Row: Elroy Baker, Linda Hayes, Larry Selby, Cecil Link, Russell Northrup, Linda Larson, Pam Poston, Lyle Neal, Tommy Smith. Second Row: Jerry Smith, Ronnie Brown, Larry Berge, Dennis Christie, David Higgins, Jimmy Sprague, Judy Bontrager, Carolyn Clayton, Joy Milligan, Marlene Sierp, Sandra Gourley, Robert Brannan. First Row: Jimmy Findley, Connie Coy, Shirley Needham, Joseph McKee, Dale Carmichael, Guila Fisher, Shirley Young, Jean Adair, Dorothy Baker, Jeanne Palmquist, Ronnie Jackson, Stanley Core. CAN YOU IMAGINE

Connie Coy - listening in class?

Elroy Baker - not sticking his nose in someone elses business?

Larry Selby - laughing like a human?

Larry Berge - being president of the United States?

Dale Carmichael - not getting a phone call from a girl?

Cecil Link - weighing 80 pounds?

Dorothy Baker - being six feet tall?

Carolyn Clayton - not looking her best?

David Higgins - not working hard in school?

Dennis Christie - not getting 100 in school?

Russell Northrup - being a short heavy-set boy?

Judy Bontrager -how she looks after getting a phone call from a boy?

Linda Hayes - being loud in school?

Joy Milligan - not mumbling in school?

Joseph McKee - getting beat in multiplication?

Jimmy Sprague - hurrying?

Tommy Smith - having his mind on his studies?

Sandra Gourley - having long, straight, black hair?

Marlene Sierp - as a stewardess?

Pam Poston - blond, curely hair?

Robert Brannan - not being shy?

Linda Larson - not liking horses?

Stanley Core - as a strong boy?

Jerry Smith - in love?

Guila Fisher - not having her hand waving?

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Ronnie Brown - being noisy?

Lyle Neal - not good in arithmetic?

Jimmy Findley - sitting still?

Shirley Needham - without a friend?

Ronald Jackson - speaking loud enough to be heard?

Shirley Hill - not being polite?

Jeanne Palmquist - playing her new clarinet?

Carolyn Howell - not looking pretty?

Jean Adair - not having any brothers or sisters?

MEMORIES

Just Lookin' natural

Solid Comfort

Be-uuu-tiful

Heart of my Heart

Angels??

Buddies

Yahhh!

Row, Row, Row

"Real Gone"

"Taking it easy"

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# JR -HI SPORTS

The Junior High football squad, coached by Wayne Maddocks, finished their season with 2 wins, 2 ties, and 1 defeat. The Junior Jays averaged 10.6 points per game to their opponents 10.4.

The Basketball team, lacking height, was able to win only 1 game in 11+ starts. Coach Holstrom said his boys had will and determination to win, which is the important factor.

JR. HIGH CHEERLEADERS; Jeannie Richey, Nita Brown, Delores Peterson, Beverly Weaver, Shirley Askloff, Connie Jamison, and Judd Nordyke.

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THE 55 BLUEJAY

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Dedication

We, the class of 1955. are proud to dedicate this issue of the Bluejay to our friend and advisor, Mr. William Anderson. Mr. Anderson came to the Villisca School system in 1946 and served as a math and science teacher. He became principal in 1948 and has been very capably serving as superintendent since 1951. So as a token of our appreciation and thanks, we dedicate the 1955 Bluejay to you.

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**FACULTY and ADMINISTRATION** 

#### YR1955PG004

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Alabama Polytechnic Institute

M.A. Iowa State College

University of Nebraska

ARON LAIPPLE

Principal

Iowa State Teachers College

B.A., M.S. University of Iowa

Our School Board members and their years of service. BACK ROW: Marion Neediam 1. Herman Christie 8. Cameron Lane 4. Walter Hyink 2. FRONT ROW: Aletha McGee. secretary 2, Edward Croxdale. president 6, William Anderson. Superintendent.

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MR. VANCE HANSEN

Speech--English

Dramatics

Annual

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B.S. Northwest Missouri State

MR. FRED HUMPHREY

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M.A. Commercial Education

University of Iowa

MR. MARTIN PIERSON

Social Science

Science

B.S. Nebraska State Teachers College

MR. PAUL THOMPSON

Band

B.M.E. University of Nebraska

University of Omaha

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Agriculture

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Iowa State College

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**Boys Coach** 

B. S. Northwest Missouri State

MISS ROSE MARY CASTNER

Vocal Music

B. M. E. University of Nebraska

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University of Missouri

University of Oregon

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Industrial Arts

**Driver Training** 

B.A. Iowa State Teachers College

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Journalism

B. A. University of Colorado

Cornell College

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Chester (Chet) Baker
CAFETERIA COOKS
Mrs. Stackhouse
Mrs. Odson

# Mrs. TenEyck YR1955PG009

SENIORS

# YR1955PG010

NOVA LEA ELSWICK

Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Librarian 2,3,4; Librarian Officer 3,4; Dramatics Club 2,3; Class Play 1,3; One-Act Play 1; Mixed Chorus 1-4; Glee Club 1-4; Pep Club 4; Annual Staff 4.

JERRY PENTON

Projection Club 2,3: E E A 2,3,4; Hix L4: Dramatics

Projection Club 2,3; F.F.A. 2,3,4; Hi-Y I-4; Dramatics 3,4; Glee Club 4; F.F.A. Treasurer 4.

NANCY MOORE

Y-Teens 1-4; Chorus 2,3,4; Madrigal 2; Sextette 2,3; Glee Club 1-4; AU-State Chorus 2; Pep Club 2,3,4; Librarians 2,3,4; Dramatics 2,3,4.

LARRY COZAD

Projectors Club 2,3; Class Officer 3; Football 3,4; Track 3,4; Baseball 4; Annual Staff 4; Letter Club 3,4.

JOAN PALMQUIST

Marching and Concert Band 1-4; Pep Band 1,2; Orchestra 1-4; Choir 1-4; Triple Trio 1; Octette 2; Sextette 3,4;

Glee Club 1,2,3; Choir and Glee Club Accompanist 4; All-State Chorus 4; Dramatics 1,2; Class Play 1,3; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3,4; Cheerleader 3,4; Pep Club 1,4; Student Council 4; Student Council Officer 4; Librarian 2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Volcano 3,4; Volcano Editor 4; Homecoming Queen Attendant 4; Principal's Secretary 4; Honor Society 4. (Selected to take Honor Society General Aptitude Test, March 22, 1955.) Sponsored by: TEEN HAVEN

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CAROLYN LENHARDT

Dramatics Club 1,2,3; Pep Club 1,2; Band 1,2; Y-Teens 1-4; Basketball 2; Carnival Queen Attendant 4.

JOHN STAKLEY

Marching and Concert Band 1-4; Basketball 1,2,3; Pep Band 1-4; Hi-Y 2,3; Dramatics 2,3; Chorus 1; Orchestra 3,4; Baseball 1.

MARTHA DARNOLD

Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3,4; Y-Teen Officer 3; Marching and Concert Band 1-4; Pep Band 2,3,4; Orchestra 3; Chorus 1,3,4; Glee Club 1,3,4; Sextette 4; Pep Club 1,4; Pep Club Officer 4; Dramatics Club 1,2; Librarians 2,3,4; Volcano 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Class Play 3; Carnival Queen Attendant 1; Honor Society 4. ALLEN MARSH

Football Co-Captain 4; Football 1-4; Track 3,4; Baseball 3,4; Letter Club 1-4; Letter Club Officer 4; Hi-Y 1-4; Hi-Y Officer 4; Student Council 1,3,4; Student Council Officer 4; Chorus 2,4; Choir Officer 4; Glee Club 2,4; Double Quartette 4; Projection Club 2,3; Dramatics 1-4; Class Officer 3; Valentine King 4; Carnival King 2; Annual Staff 4; One-Act Play 3.

MARILYN SAEMISCH

Y-Teens 1-4; Basketball 1-4; Dramatics 1-4; Band 3,4; Drivers' Club 4.

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CAROLYN MITCHELL

Cheerleading 2,3,4; Y-Teens 1-4; Chorus 1,3; Glee Club 1-4; Class Play 3; One-Act Play 4; Pep Club 1-4; Volcano Staff 3,4; Librarians 2,3,4; Dramatics 1,2,3.

JUNIOR MINGE

Football 3,4; Basketball 1-4; Track 1-3; Baseball 3; F.F.A. 1-4; F.F.A. Officer 2,4; Hi-Y 1-4; Dramatics 1-4; Dramatics Officer 4; Choir 1,2,3; Glee Club 1-4; Letter Club 2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Class Play 1,3; Projection Club 2. HELEN HOWELL

Y-Teens 1-4; Drivers' Club 4; Drivers' Club Officer 4;

Pep Club 4; Librarians Club 4. .

**DICK WEINER** 

Head Manager 3,4; Basketball Manager 1-4; Football Man ager 1-4; Track Manager 1-4; Dramatics 3,4; Student Council 3,4; Student Council Officer 3; Class Officer 3,4; Projection Club 2,3; Letter Club 1-4; Letter Club Officer 4: Hi-Y 1-4: Drivers' Club 4: Annual Staff 4.

DONNA MAINS

Cheerleader 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,4; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 2,3,4; Y-Teen Officer 4; Chorus 1-4; Triple Trio 1; Sextette 3,4; Mixed Quartette 2; Madrigal 2; Glee Club 1-4; Chorus and Glee Club Accompanist 4; All-State Chorus 4; Chorus Officer 4; Concert and Marching Band 1-4; Orches tra 1-4; Clarinet Quartette 1; Librarians 2,3,4; Dramatics 1; Class Play 1; F.F.A. Quartette Accompanist 4; Annual Staff 4; Volcano 3,4; Carnival Queen Attendant 3; Honor Society 4.

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**CONNIE REAVIS** 

Y-Teens 1-4; Basketball 4; Glee Club 2,4; Chorus 3,4; Librarians 3; Principal's Secretary 4; Dramatics 2,3,4; Volcano 3,4.

RONNIE TAYLOR

F.F.A. I-4; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Dramatics 2,3,4; F.F.A. Officer 2,3; Dramatics Officer 3; Chorus I-4; Glee Club 1-4; Double Quartette 4; One-Act Play 2,3; Hi-Y 1-4; Hi-Y Council 4; Track 3; Pep Club 4.

JANET PETERSON

Basketball 1-4; Dramatics 1-4; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Dramatics Officer 3,4; Drivers' Club 4; Drivers' Club Officer 1,3; Class Officer 1,3; Student Council 3; Annual Staff 4; Chorus 4; Glee Club 4; Homecoming Attendant 3; One-Act Play 1-4: Class Play 3.

JOHN BRYANT

Hi-Y 1-4; Projection Club 2,3; Annual Staff 4; Track Man ager 3,4; Basketball Manager 3,4; Football Manager; Letter Club 3.4: Glee Club 3.

**CAROL JEAN SMITH** 

Basketball 1,2; Dramatics 1-4; One-Act Play 2,3; Class Play 3; AU-School Play 4; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Librarian 3,4; Librarian Officer 4; Chorus 2,3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Octette 2; Sextette 4; AU-State Chorus 4; Volcano 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Principal's Secretary 4; Drivers' Club 4; Pep Club 1,4.

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# CAROL PATTERSON

Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3,4; Dramatics 1,2,3; Drivers' Club 4; Pep Club 1,2; Basketball 1-4; Volcano 4; Annual

Staff 4; Carnival Queen 2; Homecoming Attendant 4; Prin cipals Secretary 4; Librarian 2,3,4; Drivers' Club Officer 4: Class Officer 2.4.

TOM BEAVERS

Chorus 1-4; Glee Club 1-4; Double Quartette 4; All-State Chorus 4; F.F.A. 1-4; F.F.A. Quartette 1-4; Track 3; Dramatics 1,2,4; Dramatic Plays 1,4; Hi-Y 1-4; F.F.A Basketball 1,2; Hi-Y Basketball; Pep Club 1; Carnival King Attendant 4.

**ILENE LINDBERG** 

Dramatics 1.2,3; Pep Club 2,3; Marching Band 3,4; Y-Teens 1-4; Librarians 2,3,4; Librarian Officer 3; Basketball Manager 2,3,4.

CARL SIERP

Projectors' Club 1,2; Football 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,4; Student Council 1,4; Student Council Officer 4; Hi-Y 1-4; Chorus 2,3,4; Dramatics 2; Letter Club 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Volcano 3,4; Hi-Y Officer 4; Honor Society 4. LINDA MOORE

Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3,4; Y-Teen Officer 4; Marching and Concert Band 1-4; Pep Band 1,2,3; Class Officer 1,3; Basketball 1-4; Basketball Co-Captain 4; Librarian 2,3,4; Librarian Officer 3; Dramatics 2,3,4; Annual i Staff 4; Volcano 3,4; Student Council 4; Pep Club 1-4; Class Play 1; Orchestra 3; Honor Society 4. Sponsored by: RIALTO THEATRE and DANIELSON IMPLEMENT "Relax at the Rialto"

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ROSE SELBY Band 1,2; Basketball 1-4; Y-Teens 1-4. **BOB ANDREW** Hi-Y 1-4; Projection Club 1,2; F. F. A. 1-4; Track 1; Football 1. **VERDA PHILLIS** Band 1,2; Basketball 1-4; Y-Teem 1-4. KEVIN CARLSON Chorus 1,2,3; Glee Club 1-4; Class Play 1,3; HiY 1-4; F.F.A. 1,2; Pep Club 3; Drivers' Club 4; Dramatics 2,4; Track 4. (To be graduated in January, 1956).

Band 1,2; Basketball 1-4; Y-Teens 1-4.

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CLYTHA BURNS

DEWEY FASTENAU.

Basketball Captain 4; Basketball 1-4; Football 1,2,3; Track 1,3; Letter Club 2,3,4; Pep Club 4; Dramatics 4; Class Play 3; Valentine King Attendant 4; Letter Club Officer 4; Chorus 4; Chorus Officer 4; Double Quartette 4; Glee Club 4; Hi-Y I-4; Class Officer 1; Projection Club 2,3. **GERALD OVERMAN** 

F.F.A. 1-4; Hi-Y 1-4; Dramatics 1,2,3; Chorus 1,3; Glee Club 1,2,3; Projection Club 2; Football 1,2; F.F.A. Basket ball 2,3.

#### ELAINE ENARSON

Chorus 1-4; Glee Club 1-4; Triple Trio 1; Sextette 2,3,4; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3,4; Pep Club 1,4; Librarian 2,3,4; Librarian Officer 3; Class Officer 4; Dramatics 2; Class Play 3; One-Act Play 2; Homecoming Attendant 3; Homecoming Queen 4; Volcano 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Mar ching Band 1-4; Choir Officer 4; Choir and Glee Club Accompanist 4; Honor Society 4.

FRANK GAREY

Hi-Y 1,2; Projectors Club 1.2.

WAYNE GUSS

Football 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Track 2,3; Chorus 2; Glee Club 2,4; Letter Club 4; Dramatics 4; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Drivers' Club 4; Baseball 3; Marching Band 2,3; Concert Band 2,3; Pep Band 2,3.

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# **BRUCE JAMISON**

Hi-Y 1-4; Glee Club 1,4; F.F.A. 1-4; Dramatics 1,3,4; Projection Club 2,3; Letter Club 3,4; F.F.A. Officer 4; Class Officer 1,4; Class Play 3; Basketball 1-4; Football 3,4; Track 1,3; Annual Staff 4; Student Council 3; Student Council Officer 3.

RICHARD CORDES

Dramatics 1-4; Hi-Y 1-4; F.F.A. 1-4; F.F.A. Officer 2,3; One-Act Play 3,4; Projection Club 2,3; Cheerleader 2,3; Pep Club 1,4; Student Council 1; Chorus 1,2; Glee Chub 1, 2.4: Volcano 1: Class Play 3.

DARLENE BOSWELL

Y-Teeps 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Librarian 3,4; Drivers' Club 4; Pep Club 4,

DARWIN WHITE

Hi-Y 1-4; F.F.A. 1-4; Track 3,4; Projection Club 2,3; Dramatics 1,2,3; Pep Club 4; Hi-Y Basketball 2,3,4; F.F.A. Basketball 1,2,3.

BOB RADFORD

F.F.A. 1-4; F.F.A, Officer 2,3,4; F.F.A. State Convention Delegate. 3; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Hi-Y Officer 3,4; Hi-Y Iowa South West District Officer 4; Student Council 2; Student Council Officer 2; Carnival King Candidate 1; Class Officer 2; One-Act Play 3; Football 3; Track 1; Letter Club 3; Vol cano 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Honor Society 4. (Selected to take Honor Society General Aptitude Test, March 22, 1955).

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ROLAND GOURLEY Basketball 1,4; F.F.A. 1-4; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Dramatics 3; Pep Club 4. DON OVERMAN Projection Club 1,2; Football 3; Hi-Y 1,2. LLOYD RUPP Football Manager 3,4; Track Manager 3; Hi-Y 1-4; Letter Club 3,4; F.F.A. 1,2. ORIN DOLL F.F.A. 1,2; Hi-Y 1-4; Hi-Y Basketball 3; Football 2,4; Basketball 1; Track 3; Letter Club 4. ARLO DUNBAR Basketball 4; Track 4; Hi-Y 4; Chorus 4; Glee Club 4; Glee Club Soloist 4. (Transfer to V.H.S. 4.) VIRGIL ANDERSON Transfer from Clarinda 4. (Not Pictured) **BOB WHITE** Hi-Y 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Glee C1u1 1-4: F.F.A. 1-4: F.F.A. Basketball 1,2; Dramatics 1-4; Double Quar tette 4; Projection Club 1,2; Dri vers' Club 4; Letter Club 3,4; Cheer leader 2,3; F.F.A Officer 1; Class Officer 2; Madrigal 2; Chorus Of

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UNDERCLASSMEN

ficer 4; One-Act Play 4; F.F.A.

National Chorus 4; State F.F.A.

Track 3,4; Concert Band 1; Pep

Chorus 3; F.F.A. Quartette 2,3,4;

Club 1,4; Valentine King Attendant

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# JUNIOR CLASS

TOP ROW, Left to Right: C. Smith, A. Meier, J. Olenius, D. Snow. SECOND ROW; C. Burton, M. Hossman, D. Brown, M. Himiller. THIRD ROW: J. Doan, P. Beery, N. Freeman. FOURTH ROW: V. Hein, J. Bashaw, C. Crouse, L. Lee. FIFTH ROW: K. Richey, E. Hill, J. Peterson, B. Ankeny. Sponsored by HY VEE FOOD STORE.

TOP ROW, Left to Right: B. McFarland, V. Else, J. Norcross, B. Brenton. SECOND ROW: N. Anson, L. Johnson, B. Means, L. Adair. THIRD ROW: K. Sierp, M. Barr, W. Baker, S. Cozad, L. Davies, J. Sanders. FIRST ROW: R. Units, D. Windom, J. Olenius, B. Kernen. Sponsored by CO-OP OIL AND SUPPLY ASSOCIATION and MOORE BROTHERS DRUG. (Meri, Dick, and Jay)

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SOPHOMORE CLASS

TOP ROW, Left to Right: J. Olson, L. Nippert, R. Walters, L. Eberly. SECOND ROW: W. Johnson, F. Smith, J. Baker, W. Johnson, C. Wilcoxin, K. Stuvick. THIRD ROW: D. Williams, B. Neal, R. Hill, D. Johnson, R. Brown, S. Stevenson, G. Fisher, D. Burden. FOURTH ROW: R. Bean, B. Webster, J. Smith, D. Lewis, H. Wilhelm, J. Linn, F. Baker, L. Buffon. FIFTH ROW: D. Finkle, R. Sprague, P. Barr, L. Reynolds, R. Arterburn, J. Moser.

Sponsored by MEANS HARDWARE and DARNOLD SALVAGE.

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FIRST ROW, Left to Right: D. Archer, C. McKinley, B. Patterson, B. McFarland. SECOND ROW: B. Woodward, J. Palmquist, D. Lindell, B. Anson, M. Peterson, H. Waage. THIRD ROW: T. Davies, J. Means, L. Taylor, K. Hoyt, J, Greenfield, P. Doggett, V. Ashmore, F. Brown. FOURTH ROW: J. Hedstrom, D. Williams, P. Hein, D. Wilcoxin, W. Wheeler, D. Hanson, S. Frazee, J. Freeman. FIFTH ROW: L. Davis, D. Forsythe, S. Fisher, R. Lewis, J. Sprague. NOT PICTURED: D. Hoffman. Sponsored by TYLER ICE & COAL and DRAPER PRODUCE.

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FRESHMAN CLASS

FRONT ROW, Left to Right: N. Christie, J. Brannan, B. Hess, E. Ankeny. SECOND ROW: R. Cooper, J. Finley, A. Gidley, L. Lines, M. Stille. THIRD ROW: D. Ericson, R, Well, B. Staats, T. TenEyck, S. Gray, F. Burns. FOURTH ROW: G. White, J. Smith, R. Johnson, K. Neal, M. Magnuson, B. Weaver. FIFTH ROW: D. Noble, T. Peterson, S. Guss, A. Garey, A. Penwell, S. Penwell. NOT PICTURED: J. Thorson, J. Wilson, D. Bobo, D. Cary, M. Hendrix, M. Miller. Sponsored by DUNN'S VARIETY and SUTPHEN FUNERAL HOME.

#### YR1955PG025

FRONT ROW, Left to Right: N. Brown, L. Neal, G. Arterburn, G. Archer. SECOND ROW: K. Carlson, E. McKinley, A. Stackhouse, B. Scott, C. Ackerman. THIRD ROW: P. Bauer, R. Hart, C. Mack, D. Garey, J. Hanson, D. Bodwell. FOURTH ROW: J. Nordyke, D. Oltman, M. Croxdale, M. Lee, J. Sid well, J. Keat. FIFTH ROW: J. Richey, A. Hayes, D. Haridisty, B. Lindell, G. Sprague, D. Crowdy. Sponsored by DODSON'S JEWELRY and CLARK BROTHERS GARAGE.

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SENIOR OFFICERS
PRESIDENT Dick Weiner
VICE-PRESIDENT Bruce Jamison
TREASURER Elaine Enarson
SECRETARY Carol Patterson

JUNIOR OFFICERS
PRESIDENT
Charles Burton
VICE- PRESIDENT
Kent Richey
SECRETARY
David Snow
TREASURER Kenny Sierp
VICE-PRESIDENT Janice Olenius

SOPHOMORE OFFICERS
PRESIDENT Bob Patterson
VICE-PRESIDENT Peggy Barr
TREASURER Jimmy Moser
SECRETARY Bill Woodward
FRESHEAN OFFICERS
PRESIDENT Nickie Christie
VICE- PRESIDENT Ann Stackhouse
SECRETARY-TREASURER David Noble
Sponsored by McGEE INSURANCE and SCOTTS MOTOR SALES.

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**ORGANIZATIONS** 

# YR1955PG028

#### ANNUAL

This year's annual staff is composed of 17 members of the graduating class. They were divided into committees and the committees were assigned parts by editor-in-chief Linda Moore, and co-editor Bob Radford.

EDITOR-IN-CHIEF Linda Moore CO-EDITOR Bob Radford

PHOTOGRAPHER Dave Snow

John Bryant Al Marsh

Larry Cozad Carl Sierp

Dick Weiner Nova Lea Elswick

Martha Darnold Janet Peterson

Elaine Enarson Carol Jean Smith

Carol Patterson Junior Minge

Donna Mains Bruce Jamison

Joan Palmquist

Sponsored by LIONS CLUB.

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LEFT TO RIGHT: Pat Bauer, Treasurer; Carl Sierp, President; Al Marsh, Vice-President; Joan Palmquist, Secretary; Mr. Laipple, Sponsor. STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council, organized in 1949. co-ordinates all student activities. The Council has no governing power but can make recommendations to the administration. The Council also selects programs, supervises cheerleading elections, and helps to solve other problems that arise in school. The main purpose of the Student Council is to bring closer relationship between the faculty and the student body. This year the Council has devised a new method of electing cheerleaders. Members of the Council were elected in a little different manner this year which is as follows: Each class chose three representatives in their initial class meeting, plus presidents of the junior, senior classes, editors of the Annual and editor of the Volcano, and presidents of the junior high classes. This method was adopted because there were no home rooms this year. Sponsored by GOLDSMITH SHOE STORE

#### YR1955PG030

The Future Farmers of America Chapter, which this year had 57 members is one of the busiest

organizations in the high school. They sponsored the annual F. F. A. hayride in September, a Parent-Son banquet in February, and had several money-making projects.

**FUTURE FARMERS of AMERICA** 

F. F. A. officers, left to right: Junior Minge, Jerry Penton, Alan Meier, Reno Smith, Advisor; Bob Radford, Don Williams, Ron Taylor, and Bruce Jamison.

Sponsored by NODAWAY VALLEY NATIONAL BANK,

#### YR1955PG031

The Villisca Hi-Y Club has had a large membership this year. Eighty high school boys met once a month for regular meetings. They had special speakers for several meetings. One of these was, Dennis Neal, who gave a talk on the armed services. The Hi—Y club sold boxes of candy at Christmas time and sponsored a Sadie Hawkins Dance in the Spring.

III-Y CLUB.

LEFT TO RIGHT: Ron Taylor, District Representative; C. Sierp, Treasurer; David Snow, Secretary; Mr. Fred Humphrey, Sponsor; Al Marsh, President; Bob Radford, Vice-President; Don Williams, Chaplain; Charles Burton, District Representative.

Sponsored by: RENO SMITH CHAPTER F.F.A.

#### YR1955PG032

The Y-Teen club is one of the more active clubs in the high school. Every high school girl is a member of this organization. This year the Y-Teens gave a banquet for their fathers, sponsored a Christmas party for the underprivileged children in the community, supported a war orphan in Belgium, gave a Valentine Dance for the school and honored the mothers with a tea this spring. Meetings were held once a month in the high school assembly. Representatives of the club attended both district meetings; one in the fall and one in the spring.

Y-TEENS

Y-Teen Cabinet. BACK ROW, Left to Right: J. Palmquist, L. Johnson, M. Hossman, S. Frazee, B. Ankeny, D. Boswell, M. Barr, E. Enarson, M. Darnold, C. Smith, N. Elswick, 3. Palmquist. FRONT ROW: J. Sanders, Corresponding Secretary; C. Pat terson, Secretary; Mrs. Witke, Sponsor; L. Moore, President; D. Mains, Vice-President; J. Olenius, Treasurer; C. Crouse, J. Peterson.

Sponsored by: HELEN LORENE SHOP and NEEDHAM GARAGE

#### YR1955PG033

The Volcano Staff is in charge of editing the school paper for the first semester, while the journalism class act as cub reporters. During the last half of the year, the duties of publishing the Volcano once a month are handled by the class.

VOLCANO

SEATED, Left to Right: David Snow, John Bashaw, Virginia Hein, Leona Johnson, Bob Means, Carmen Smith, Joyce Norcross, David Windom, Kent Richey. STANDING: Miss Burrish, Class Teacher.

Sponsored by: GREEN LANTERN and LANE IMPLEMENT

#### YR1955PG034

Drivers' Club consists of the following members: BACK ROW, Left to Right: D. Weiner, W. Johnson, L. Reynolds. C. Burns, V. Phillis, R. Selby, M. Saemisch, D, Boswell, D. Finkle. SECOND ROW: 3. Greenfield, A. Marsh, B. Means, D. Snow. C. Smith, B. Woodward, M. Himiller, N. Freeman, C. Grouse, J. Olenius. FRONT ROW: Elton Berg. Sponsor; D. Williams, M. Peter son, V. Hein, J. Peterson, C. Patterson, L. Johnson, J. Sanders, H. Howell. C. Smith.

# DRIVERS' CLUB

PEP CLUB

The Boosters Pep Club was organized this year with the idea in mind of having as many persons as possible attend our games, to arouse interest, pep, and school spirit among the public, and to have all members willingly take an active part in all the club's projects. A pep leader was chosen each week to help the cheerleaders arouse pep at the assemblies and games. Sponsored by: CARLSON BROTHERS ELECTRIC and HONEYMAN'S DRUG STDRE

#### YR1955PG035

The Villisca High School Band has taken a new look with their new uniforms. The Mothers' Council should be given top honors for raising the money for the uniforms. The Band partici pated in many activities as follows: Parade of Lights, in Omaha; formations at home football games, during half-time; Christmas Concert; Cooking School program; Spring Concert. The band is under the direction of Mr. Paul Thompson.

BAND

PEP BAND

Sponsored by: KARLE BAKERY and JAMISON DAIRY

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**CHORUS** 

The High School Choir is composed of students selected by their director, Miss Rose Mary Castner. The choir has participated in the following activities; November Concert; cooking school; and they also sang at Baccalaureate and Commencement. Choir rehearsals were during first period Tuesday and Thursday.

ALL -STATE

LEFT TO RIGHT: A. Meier, J. Palmquist, C. Smith, M. Croxdale, T. Beavers, D. Mains, J. Palmquist, and S. Carmichael.

Sponsored by: COCA COLA BOTTLING COMPANY

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The Girls' and Boys' Glee Clubs consist of sixty girls and thirty-five boys. They were selected at the beginning of the year by their director, Miss Rose Mary Castner. They have participated in many musical activities.

GLEE CLUBS

Sponsored by: SIERP'S OIL STATION

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# DRAMATICS CLUB

Don Williams emphasizes a point in a bit of action from OUTWARD BOUND, the Dramatics club play given November 2nd. Other cast members in this scene are Leona Johnson, Tom Beavers, Joanne Findley, (hidden from camera), Carol Jean Smith, Jim Moser, and Janet Palmquist. A breath-taking scene from DEAR RUTH, the Junior Class Play. Characters shown in this picture are David Snow, Joyce Norcross, John Bashaw, Kent Richey, Carmen Smith, Mary Hossman, and Alan Meier. The play was given December 8th and 9th. Sponsored by: VILLISCA Y-TEENS

#### YR1955PG039

The Librarians club was more active this year than in the past. They held two business meetings

a month at which they learned more about library work. They have also had more social events. A picnic was held in the fall, a covered dish supper and gift exchange at Christmas time, a theatre party, and a party in the Spring. The Librarians' club sponsor was Miss Lila Gardner. LIBRARIANS

LEFT TO RIGHT: Bonnie Ankeny, Social Chairman; Carol Jean Smith, Secretary-Treasurer; Carmen Smith, President; Nova Lea Elswick, First-Vice-President; La Vera Nippert, Second Vice-President.

Sponsored by: EWING JEWELRY and FORSYTHE HATCHERY

#### YR1955PG040

The Letter Club consisted of all the boys in high school who earned a varsity or reserve letter in any of the four sports. As an organized club, they accomplished little, but showed their individ ual strength in the various sports events in which they were the leaders.

LETTER CLUB

PRESIDENT

Al Marsh

VICE- PRESIDENT

Dewey Fastenau

SECRETARY-TREASURER

Dick Weiner

Sponsored by DUNN AUTO SALES.

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SOCIAL

#### YR1955PG042

**FORMALS** 

Sextette Dedicates "Pretty Baby" to Dewey

Waiting for the Music to Begin.

KING OF HEARTS.

HIGHLIGHTS OF 1954

JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM

Sponsored by MARSHS PHILLIPS 66 SERVICE STATION.

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GLIMPSE AT THE CLASSES

Those Ambitious Seniors in Government.

You have got to go!

Smiling Sophomores in English Class.

Future Cookies of America.

Another day, more homework.

Sponsored by LINES CENTRAL MARKET.

#### YR1955PG044

HOMECOMING

A Kiss for the Queen.

Moment of Glory.

THE QUEEN AND HER COURT.

We don't ALWAYS look like this!

Familiar Sights.

Does this Deck have 5 Aces?

Yea! Team! Fight!

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**ATHLETICS** 

#### YR1955PG046

JUNIOR MINGE

Quarterback

Football

1'

**BRUCE JAMISON** 

Left Halfback

Sponsored by MOSER TIRE & BATTERY and VILLISCA MONUMENT WORKS.

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AL MARSH

Tackle

LARRY COZAD

Right Halfback

DON OVERMAN

Center

WAYNE GUSS

Guard

ORIN DOLL

Tackle

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BACK ROW, Left to Right: D. Weiner, J. Brannan, G. Archer, F. Burns, J. Olson, B. Brenton, M. Magnuson, L. Neal, O. Doll, D. Brown, D. Lewis, L. Rupp, Coach Ken Jones. MIDDLE ROW: Coach Fred Humphrey, M. Stille, T. Davies, A. Marsh, B. Woodward, M. Peterson, E. Hill, E. Lee, J. Minge. B. Means, B. Kernen, C. Cozad. FRONT ROW: J. Bryant, D. Over man, T. TenEyck, W. Guss, J. Bashaw, B. Jamison, R. Cooper, W. Smith, A. Meier, B. Brown, D. Snow.

**GAME RESULTS** 

Villisca Opponents

0 Bedford 33

0 Atlantic 41

0 Shenandoah 64

6 Glenwood 38

0 Corning 40

0 Creston 74

20 Red Oak 32

12 Clarinda 34

One returning letterman and a football squad crippled by injuries greeted our coach. The squad included thirty players with AI Marsh as the returning letterman. The inexperienced Jays

dropped all their eight games against very tough opposition. Al Marsh was selected on the first team, All-Conference. Allen and Junior Minge were elected Co-Captains. Sponsored by KENDRICK & VANCE and BRYSON & FRANKS AC-NEW IDEA.

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#### Basketball

VARSITY

Villisca Opposing Team

- 44 Bedford 67
- 33 Farragut 51
- 56 Stanton 74
- 41 Abe Lincoln 65
- 36 Bedford 72
- 33 Clarinda 51
- 47 Creston 53
- 51 Corning32
- 55 Farragut 59
- 39 Shenandoah 50
- 48 Red Oak 61
- 48 Creston 68
- 40 Corning 64
- 27 Clarinda 46
- 45 Atlantic 79
- 39 Glenwood 62
- 45 Atlantic 79
- 39 Glenwood 62
- 33 Red Oak 44
- 45 Shenandoah 46
- 57 Glenwood 96
- 46 Stennett 35
- 949 Total 1298
- 43 Per Game 60.1 Per Game Read the VILLISCA REVIEW.

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BRUCE JAMISON Excellent Ball Handler and Playmaker
DEWEY FASTENAU A Scrapper at the Post and Top Rebounder
CARL SIERP Top Defensive Man and a Good Rebounder
KEN SIERP Good Set Shooter and Only a Junior
JUNIOR MINGE Blue Jays' High Scorer For the Season

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BACK ROW, Left to Right: Manager D. Weiner, J. Olson, G. Fisher, D. Williams, L. Reynolds, R. Gourley, L. Neal, D. Lindell, Manager R. Walters. THIRD ROW: Manager V. Else, L. Buffon, B. Brown, B. Brenton, M. Magnuson, M. Croxdale, A. Hayes, D. Hardisty, D. Davies, D. Hanson, J. Bashaw, Manager J. Sidwell. SECOND ROW: Coach Jones, Statistician D. Snow, J. Brannan, R. Cooper, E. Lee, A. Meier. B. Kernen, R. Johnson, D. Noble, R. Lewis, D. Brown, M. Stille, T. Ten Eyck, W. Smith, Manager J. Bryant, Coach Humphrey. FRONT ROW: W. Guss, J. Moser, D. Fastenau, J. Minge, N. Anson, B. Woodward, M. Peterson, C.

Sierp, V. Ashmore, A. Dunbar. K. Sierp, B. Jamison.

The Villisca Bluejays entered this season with only two returning lettermen: Junior Minge, and Dewey Fastenau. The team fought with the spirit of true sportsmen but came out on the winning side of only two games. However, the future should be a little brighter with next year's probable starters averaging over 6 feet. We should be one of the tallest teams in the history of the school. Sponsored by JOHNSON'S RADIO AND ELECTRIC SERVICE AND VILLISCA FIREMEN

#### YR1955PG052

LEFT TO RIGHT: Marilyn Saemisch, Verda Phillis, Beverly Anson, Lin da Moore, Jeannie Richey, Carol Patterson,

The Villisca High School Jayettes closed the 1954-55 season by gaining the runner-up spot in the Sectional tournament. This finished the most successful season in many years for the Jayettes who compiled an overall record of 11 wins and 7 losses. The Jayettes were paced by an aggressive guard court and a much improved forward court. The team elected Verda Phillis and Linda Moore as honorary co-captains for the season.

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Action shots from Villisca - New Market game as the Villisca girls take another one. It's up and good, as Linda Moore collects two points for Villisca.

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Track

BACK ROW, Left to Right: R. Cooper, L. Cozad, B. White, J. Bashaw, B. Brenton, J. Olson, R. Hill, M. Stille. THIRD ROW: D. Weiner, Manager; Coach Jones, B. Kernen, P. Beery, 8. Means, E. Hill, M. Peterson, V. Ashmore, E.Lee, 3. Freeman, Coach Humphrey. SECOND ROW: D. Hanson, R. Lewis, A. Meier, D. Bodwell, M. Magnuson, B. Brown, J. Brannan, V. Else, J. Sidwell. FIRST ROW: R. Johnson, D. Brown, D. Noble, T. Ten Eyke, J. Nordyke, L. Neal, G. Fisher, D. Crowdy.

**BOB WHITE** 

Distance Man

LARRY COZAD

Sprinter

# YR1955PG055

DAVID HANSON Sprinter MARVIN PETERSON Distance Man VINCE ASHMORE Hurdler and High Jumper WAYNE SMITH Half Miler

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The first team cheerleaders are: Joan Palmquist, Janice Hedstrom, Janet Palmquist, Donna Mains, and Carolyn Mitchell. They were chosen by the student body to lead the cheers for the varsity football and basketball teams. The cheerleaders assume the responsibility for pep chapels, Home coming, organizing of Pep Club and creating spirit among the students.

#### CHEERLEADERS

Gail Arterburn, Pat Bauer, Delores Johnson, Rosaline Arterburn, and Sandra Penwell led the re serve boys in football and basketball and also supported the varsity girls in their successful season. They are chosen in the same manner as the first team cheerleaders.

#### YR1955PG057

BACCALAUREATE
COMMENCEMENT
Baccalaureate services were
held for the 1955 graduating
class of Villisca High School
in the Methodist Church.
Rev. Staats gave the ser
mon.

The seventy-second annual Gradua tion exercises- were held May 27, 1955 in the Methodist Church for the Villisca High School class of 1955. Professor Hew Roberts, Doctor of Education of University of Iowa gave the initial address, entitled "Once upon a time." Sponsored by the VILLISCA ELEVATOR and HI-Y.

#### YR1955PG058

# Junior High

BACK ROW, Left to Right: J. Bodwell, T. Selby, S. Guthrie, D. Peterson, K. Bean, T. Churchill, L. Doll, B. Morgan, J. Burton, G. Ruppert, B. Sierp, D. Shepherd, C. Doan, R. Poston, M. Brannan. MIDDLE ROW: B. Webster, N. Grey. E. Hosman, L. Sprague, L. French. C. McCullough, S. Asklof, M. Churchill, R. Gray, D. Baker, D. Hendry, D. Hinkle, B. McFarland, D. Anson, Leo Farlin. BOTTOM ROW: N. Felt, J. Guss, R. Core, G. King, R. Phillis, S. Finkle, C. Hoyt, A. Currin, J. Guss, C. Jamison, M. Raines, J. Core, K. Adair, M. Brannan, Mr. Conrad. B. Victor, D. Burdon, J. Waage, M. Carlson, and C. Wilhelm are not pictured. Sponsored by VILLISCA FRUIT and GROCERY

#### YR1955PG059

BACK ROW, Left to Right: J. Sprague, L. Hayes, M. Síerp, J. Mililgan, J. Bontrager, P. Poston, L. Larson, C. Howell, L. Selby, S. Hill, B. Brenton, S. Gourley. MIDDLE ROW: D. Higgins, L. Wheeler, J. McCowen, B. Greenfield. G. White, C. Lind, B. Carlson, C. Clayton, G. Fisher, J. McKee, S. Needham, T. Smith. FRONT ROW: Mr. Prescott, J. Finley, B. Brannan, G. Vail, G. Smith, F. Carmichael, D. Carmichael, D. Christie, J. Palmquist, E. Baker, R. Cozad, D. Warnaca, R. Jackson.

7th GRADE

6th GRADE

BACK ROW, Left to Right: C. Staats, L. Moser, E. Burton, E. Burton, J. Robinson, S. Purves, J. Dow, M. Lynch, J. Magnuson, D. Olander, L. Lines, S. Archer, M. Veak, D. Dow, L. Bisby. W. Sparks, C. Coy, J. McNeal. MIDDLE ROW: D. Belding, B. Smith, D. Burns, M. Flovie, B. Webster, J. Muller, D. Peterson, M. Golay, E. Dryer, S. Gridley, L. Currin, J. Hagemier, E. Everett, H. Hedstrom, J. Guthrie, P. Brown, N. Shipman. FRONT ROW: G. Core, J. Higgins,

N. Patterson, L. Carmichael, M. Lee, D. Ashmore, J., Holder, J. Wheeler, R. Wheeler, K. Starlin, M. Ashmore, D. Lindeil, R. Shepherd, S. Keat, D, Fastenau, B. Olson, S. Core, L. Neal, J. Doll.

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JR.-HI BASKETBALL

The Junior High Basketball team ended one of their most successful seasons this year boasting a 10 and 2 record. The only teams which beat Villisca were Red Oak and Atlantic. BACK ROW: Left to Right: C. Baker, J. Sprague, G. King, R. Phyilis, R. Gray, R. Core, G. Vail, G. Smith. MIDDLE ROW: D. Hendry, J. Finley. L. Farlin, B. Farlin, R. Selly, D. Anson, T. Smith, B. Brenton. FRONT ROW: Mr. Prescott, D. Christie, D. Baker, L. Doll, J. Burton, B. Sierp, D. Shepherd. R. Poston, D. Higgins.

The Junior High girls had a very successful season this year also. They played Stanton and Stennett each twice, and their record was three wins and one loss. BACK ROW, Left to Right: S. Finkle, C. Clayton, L. Hayes, P. Poston, J. Guss. C. Hoyt, J. Guss. FRONT ROW: Mr. Maddocks, S. Guthrie, D. Hinkle, M. Sierp, J. Bodwell, J. Core, M. Brannan. Sponsored by OLSON'S HATCHERY and MARSH MOTORS

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#### DEDICATION

The annual staff wishes to dedicate the 1956 edition of the Blue Jay to Mr. Aron Laipple. His stern judgement and good natured guidance have contributed a good deal to our three last years of high school. To him we can merely say "Thank You."

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**FACULTY - ADMINISTRATION** 

# YR1956PG004

**BOARD of EDUCATION** 

BACK ROW: Marion Needham, Herman Christie, Cameron Lane, Walter Hyink. FRONT ROW: Aletha McGee, Dr. E. L. Croxdale. William Anderson.

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**SENIORS** 

#### YR1956PG009

LAVON ADAIR

"Why aren't they all contented like me?"

Y-Teens 1-2-3-4; Pep Club 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Mixed Chorus 2; Dramatics Club 1-2; Annual Staff 4; Marching Band 2-3-4; 2nd Team Cheerleader 1; Homecoming Queen 4.

DICK BROWN

"A little friend of all the world."

FFA 1-2-3-4; Hi-Y 23-4; Football 2-3-4; Track 2-3-4; Letter Club 4; Basketball 1- 2-

3-4; Football Co-

Captain 4.

DAVID SNOW

"Red, the peach of all the crops."

Hi-Y 1-4; Hi-Y Officer 2-3-4; Annual Staff 1-2-3 - 4; Annual Editor 4; Volcano Staff 1-23-4; Chorus 1-2-3-4; Boy's Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Octette 1; Boy's Quartette 4; Pep Bandl-3; Operetta 3; Concert Band 1- 2-3-4; Mar ching Band 1-3; Basketball1; Letter Club 3-4; Athletic Statistician 23-4; Projection Club 1-2; Student Council 4; Class Officer 3-4; Junior Class Play 3; Driver's Club 3; Madrigals 2-4.

BILL KERNEN

"A favorite guy with all the girls."

Glee Club 4; Hi-Y 2-4; Annual Staff 4; Class Officer 4; FFA1-2-3-4; FFA State Convention 4; Football 2-3-4; Track 2-3; Letter Club 2-3-4; Basketball 1-2-3; Student Council 4.

VIRGINIA HEIN

"Love comes in the window and goes out the door."

Y-Teens 1-2-3-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Dramatics Club 1- 2-3-4; Librarian 4; Student Council 4; Student Council Officer4; Homecomin.gQueen Attendent 4; Annual Staff 4; Pep Club 3; Driver's Club 3; Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4;Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Triple Trio 4; Chorus Officer 4; Volcano Staff 3-4; 2nd Team Cheerleader 1; Principals

### Secretary 4.

### YR1956PG010

### KENT RICHEY

"Just a minute. I'll be right with you."

Basketball 1-2-4; Marching Band 1-2-3-4; Chorus 1-2-3-4; Volcano 3; Concert Band1-2- 3-4; Student Council 1; Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Hi-Y 1-2-3-4; Class Officer 3; Boys Quartet 3; Track 3; Annual Staff 4; All State Choir 4;

Madrigal 1-4; Octette 1; Class Play 3; Pep Club 3-4; Letter Club 3-4; Dramatics Club 2.

DAVID WINDOM

"His wisdom will give him fame."

FFA 1-2-3-4; FFA President 4; Boys Glee 1; Hi-Y 1-2-3; Hi-Y Officer 2; Volcano Staff 3; Annual Staff 4; FFA Judging Team 4.

JEAN DOAN

"She thinks the Irish can't be beat."

Librarians 4; Annual Staff 4; Y-Teens 1-2-3-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4.

BONNIE Mc FARLAND "She wears a smile that won't come off."

Dramatics 1; Y- Teens 2-3-4; Carnival Queen Attendant 3; Basketball 1-2.

KENNY SIERP

"Chase me girls, I'm full of fun. "

Chorus I-2-4;Glee Club 1-2-3-4; All School Play 3; Class Officer 1-3-4; Hi-Y 1-2-3; Dramatics 1-2-3-4; Pep Club 3-4; Annual Staff 4; Basketba111-2 -3-4; Letter Club 3-4; Track 2-3; FFA I-2-3-4; FFA Officer 4.

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#### EVERETTE LEE

"All that I've learned, I've forgotten; and all that I know, I've guessed."

Dramatics Club 4; Glee Club 4; Projectors Club 2; Football 1-2-3-4; Track 2-3-4; Baseball 2; Letter Club 2-3-4; Football Co-Captain 4: Basketball 2-3: Hi-Y2-3.

MARY HIMILLER "Secret and self-contained."

Y-Teens 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Chorus 1-2-3-4; Librarians 34; Pep Club 3; Annual Staff 4; Marching Band 1-2-3-4; Concert Band 1-2-3-4; Drivers Club 3; Glee Club, Sextet, Triple Trio Acc. 3.

BONNIE ANKENY "Not too tall, not too small, she's the gal that's liked by all."

Y-Teens 1-2-3-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3; Mixed Chorus 1-3-4; Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Homecoming Attendant 3;

Librarians 1-2-3-4; Dramatics 1-2-4; Pep Club 3-4; Annual Staff 4; Marching Band 1-2-3-4; Concert Band 1-2-3-4; Cheerleader 4; Librarian Officer 3-4; 2d Team Cheerleader 1; Carnival Queen Att. 1.

PETER BEERY "Sometimes Red and sometimes Pete, he's a guy hard to beat."

Dramatics Club 3-4; Class Play 3-4; Glee Club 4; Pep Club 3-4; Annual Staff 4; Concert Band 1-2-3-4; Marching Band1-2-3-4; 2nd Team Cheerleader 1;FFA 1-2; Hi-Y 1-2-3-4; Football 4; Track 2-3-4; Letter Club 3-4;Pep Club 2-3.

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JOYCE NORCROSS "The girl with the sparkle in her eye."

Y-Teens 1-2-3-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Drama Club 1-2-3-4; Class Play 3; Librarians 2-4; Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Pep Club 1-3-4; Sextette 2; Octette 1; Annual Staff 4; Volcano 3-4; Prin. Sec. 4; Girls Chorus & Glee Acc. 4; Drivers Club 3; Class Officer 4.

CHARLOTTE GROUSE "Charley, the gal with all the gags."

Y-Teens 1-2-3-4; Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Pep Club 3-4; Librarians 1-3; Dramatics Club 1-2; Annual Staff 4; Concert Band 2-3-4; Marching Band 2-3-4; Drivers Club 3; Class Officer 2. ELDON HILL

" I'll only speak when spoken to."

Football 2-3; Track 2; FFA 2; Letter Club 1; Basketball 1; Hi-Y 2.

JANET SANDERS

" What I don't know won't hurt me!"

Y-Teens 1-2-3-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3. Drama Club 1-4; Librarian 4; Class Play 3; Drama Club Officer 3; Mixed Chorus 2; Glee Club 1-3; Pep Club 1-3-4; Annual Staff 4; Marching Band 1-2-3-4; Concert Band 1-2-3-4; Drivers Club 3; Student Council 2; Pep Band 1-2-3-4.

**BOB MEANS** 

"I agree with no man's opinion. I have my own."

Dramatics Club 4;Boys Glee 4;Mixed Chorus 4; Annual Staff 4; Concert Band 1-2-3-4; Marching Band 1-2-3-4; Student Council 3; Volcano 3-4; Drivers Club 3; Class Officer 2; Hi-Y 1-2-3; Football 2-3-4; Track 2-3; Letter Club 3-4; Projectors Club 1.

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### WAYNE SMITH

"Always work, no play!" Football 1-2-3-4; Track 2 -3; Basketball 2-3; FFA1-2-4; Letter Club 2-3-4; Baseball 2. JAMES OLENIUS

" Women disturb me not. "

Dramatics 2; Mixed Chorus 2-4;Annual Staff 4; Marching Band 1-23-4; Concert Band 1-23-4; Pep Band 2-3-4; Student Council 3; Hi-Y 1-2-3; FFA 1-2-3-4; Pep Club 3; Track 2; Glee Club 2-4;2nd learn Cheerleader 1;Carnival Attendant 3;Pr ojector s Club 1; FFA Judging Team 4.

# **CARMEN SMITH**

"If there's mischief brewing she's doing the stirring." All State 4; Annual Staff 4; Cheerleader 4; Chorus 1-23-4; Drama Club 1-2-3-4; Drama Club Officer 4; Girls Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Girls State Delegate 3; Drivers Club 3; Junior Class Play 3; Madrigal 4; Librarians 3-4; Librarians Officer 3; Pep Club 3-4; Y-Teens I-2-3-4; Y-Teen Officer 4; Prin. Sec. 4; Volcano Staff 3-4; Volcano Editor 4; Student Council Officer 4.

JANICE OLENIUS "Full of fun and mischief too; likes doing things she shouldn't do."

Y-Teens 1-2-3-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3-4; Pep Band 2-3-4; Marching Band 1-2-3-4; Concert Band 1-2-3-4; Band Officer 2; Carnival Queen Attendant 2; Pep Club 2-3; Chorus 2-3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Class Officer 3; Drivers Club 3; Drama Club 1-2-3-4; Annual Staff 4; Homecoming Attendant 3.

BERNARD BRENTON "All work and no fun is no life for me. "

Glee Club 4; Projectors Club 1-2; Football 3-4; Track 2-3-4; Letter Club 3-4; Basketball 2; FFA 1-2-3-4; FFA Officer 4; Hi- Y 1-2-3.

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### LEONA JOHNSON

"A lot of pep in a small package."

Chorus & Glee Acc. 3-4; All School Play 3;Class Officer 1; Drivers Club 3; Student Council 2; Y-Teens 1-2-3-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3-4; Drama Club 1-2-3; One Act Play 2; Homecoming Attendant 4; Girls Glee Club 1-2-3;Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4; Pep Club 2-3; Annual Staff 4; Sextet 3; All State Chorus 4; Triple Trio 4; Volcano 3-41Prin. Sec. 4;Mixed Quartet 4.

### MARY HOSSMAN

"I always get the better when I argue alone."

Y-Teens 1-2-3-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 2-3-4; Librarian 2-3-4; Drama Club 1-2-3-4; Drama Club Officer 4; Class Play 3; One Act Play

3; Mixed Chorus 1-2- 3 -

4; Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Pep Club 1-3-4; Marching Band 1-2-3-4; Concert Band 1-2-3-4; Band Officer 3; Annual Staff 4; Volcano 4; Chorus & Glee Acc. 3; Pep Band 1-2-3-4; Girls Basketball 2; Speech Contestant 1-2-3-4; Speech Contestant Winner 3.

ALAN MEIER

"Let the world go as it may, I'll take it anyway."

Dramatics 4; Class Play 3; Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 1-2- 3-4; Football 2-3-4; Track 3-4; Letter Club 3-4; Octet 1; All-State Chorus 3; Carnival King Attendant 2; Student Council 2; Student Council Officer 2; FFA 1-2-3-4; FFA Officer 2-3; Basketball 2-3-4; Mixed Quartet 4; Hi-Y 1-2-3-4; Madrigal 4.

CHARLES BURTON "Life is only what you make it, nothing more."

Marching Band 1-2-3-4; Concert Band 1-2-3-4; Pep Band 2-3—tBasketball 1; Track 2-3; Hi-Y 1-2-3-4; Dramatics 1-4; Student Council 1-3-4; Chorus 1-2-4; Glee Club 1-4; Boys Quartet 4; Octet 1; Letter Club 3; Madrigal 1; Clas s Officer 1-3; Hi-Y Officer 2-3-4; Band Officer 3; Carnival King Attendant 1.

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**RUTH UNITS** 

"She fills her place in life as no one else can."

Octet 1; Y-Teens 1-23-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Chorus 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Drama Club 2-3-4; Class Play 3; Volcano 4; Librarian 2-3-4.

BILL FORSYTHE "Thinking is the hardest work there is . "

Hi-Y 1-2; Projectors Club 2; Track 2-3; Basketball 2.

NORMAN ANSON

"Lean, lanky, and likeable."

Chorus 1-2-4;Glee Club 1-2-4;Basketball 1-2-34; Football 1-2; Band 1-2; Hi-Y 1-2; Track 1-2-3; Letter Club 3-4; Annual Staff 4: Concert Band 1-2

JOHN BASHAW

"To live without wits is never to live at all. "

Hi-Y 1-2-3; Football 12-3-4; Basketball 2-3; Track 2-3; Student Council 3; One Act Play 2; Class Play 3-4;

Dramatics Club 2-3-4; FFA Basketball 1; FFA 1; Annual Staff 4; Volcano Staff 3-4; Projectors Club 2.

MARY BARR

"The course of true love never did run smooth."

Y-Teens 1-2-3-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3-4; Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Mixed Chorus 1-2-3-4; Class Officer 2; Dramatics Club 1-2.

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VERNON ELSE

"What he wants to get most out of school is himself."

Glee Club 4; Pep Club 3; Projectors Club 3; Hi-Y 1-Z-4; Letter Club 3-4;FFA1-2-3-4;Track Manager 2-3; Baskethall 3

MARY HOFFMAN "She's always ready and willing for a good time."

Y-Teens 4; Class Play 3; Mixed Chorus 1-3; Glee Club 1-2-3; Pep Club 2; Girls Basketball 3-4; Class Officer 3. SHIRLEY COZAD

"An innocent face but you can never tell!"

Y-Teens 1-2-3-4; Pep Club 3; Dramatics 2.

DARREL HENDRIX "Life! What a struggle!" Track 3-4.

JOYCE PETERSON "A little shiny sunbeam, never makes, much noise."

Y-Teens 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 1-4; Librarians 4; Drama Club 1-2-4.

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NORMA FREEMAN "A good girl is always quiet."

Y-Teens 1-4; Librarian 2-3-4; Annual Staff 4; Drivers Club 3-4; Pep Club 3.

WILLIS BAKER

"He doesn't get to do everything he wants to but he knows how."

Hi-Y 1-2; Basketball 12; Track 2; Baseball 2.

#### LEO DAVIES

"Kind of cute, kind of tall, he's a guy liked by all."

FFA 1-2 -4; Hi- Y1-2-4; Football 2-3-4; Letter Club 2-3-4; Track 2-34; Basketball 1-4.

SAM CARMICHAEL "Whywork longer? It's time to play."

Chorus 2-3-4;Glee Club 1-2-3; Basketball 1-2; Hi-Y 1-2-3; Quartet 4; Track 2; Madrigal 4; All State 3; Pep Club 3; Drama Club 2-3; FFA 1-2; Projectors Club1-2.

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### COMMENCEMENT

The seventy-third annual graduation exercises were held in the Methodist Church on May 25, for the Villisca High School Class of 1956. The diplomas were handed out by Dr. Edward Croxdale, President of the School Board.

### BACCALAUREATE

Professor Hew Roberts, Doctor of Education of the University of Iowa, gave the initial address, for the seventy-third annual graduation exercises. It was entitled Challenge of the Day" and was held in the Methodist Church on May 27, 1956, for the Villisca High School Class of 1956.

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### **CLASS HISTORY**

On the morning of September 3, 1943, a group of eager young students were escorted into the Kindergarten room of the Lincoln School Building of Villisca, Iowa.

Their teacher was Mrs. Vivian Stinson. The group consisted of twenty-eight runny-nosed delinquents, namely: Jimmy Doherty, Mary Evons, Mary Lowenburg, Lois Lowenburg, Sharon Moriarty, Jaunity O'Riley, Clifford Pettengill, Joyce Selby, Dean Archer, Joel Freeman, Joyce Freeman, Willis Baker, Duane Pullen, Bob Means, Donna Finkle, Sharon Draper, Karen Hoyt, Sharon Fisher, Mary Hirniller, , Elmer Burns, Bonnie Ankeny, Leona Johnson, David Snow, Darleen Sanders, Norma Freeman, Kent Richey, Bill Forsythe, and Norman Anson. Though entirely unknown at the time, of these twenty-eight, during the next few

years only ten were ever to endure through graduation. This year began the first of the many great adventures that were to follow and though we didn't do anything of really historic importance at the time, it was of great significance to each one of those of us who had our beginnings there. We had just begun when we had our first loss. It was Bonnie Ankeny; then Kent Richey dropped shortly after. But before we could lose any more, we were joined by Jean Doan from Corning and Charles Burton from Clarinda, who made up for our loss. Then after nine months of toil we were on our way to the first grade. Our new teacher was Miss Virginia Pfander. Along with our new teacher, we also picked up several new additions who were: Shirley Stevenson, Alma Cahoon, Etta Walker, and Roger Stevenson. We also lost four: Roger Stevenson, Etta Walker, Mary Emmons, and Leona Johnson.

After a few months of dodging homework, paper wads, and tests, we were more than ready for the second grade. Here again we gained some new friends: Mary Hossman. , Janet Sanders, Patricia Kirby, Bonnie McFarland, Phillip Wagaman, Peter Beery,

and Kent Richey, who after having looked for something better in California was now ready to accept dear old V. L. G. S. as being best and try again. Our teacher was Mrs. Ruth Ruckman. This year we decided that we would all surprise our mothers on Mother's Day by stenciling on table cloths with crayon and, indeed, we did for our efforts were truly unique and quite unconventional.

A few of our members, namely: Elmer Burns, Phillip Wagaman, Dean Archer,

Joel Freeman, Sharon Fisher, Alma Cahoon, and Lois Lowenburg, were marooned in the second grade and had to wait for the next class going through. But the rest of us proceeded on to the third grade to meet our new teacher, Miss Miller. We gained five new additions who were: Sam Carmichael, David Rambo, Patricia Chambers, Mary Ellen Peterson, Betty Currin, and Leona Johnson, whom we had known before.

Alma Cahoon was one of the people we lost that year and Mary Ellen Peterson was the other. Our main objectives were learning to read better and learning to write with ink. Miss Miller also read to us several books that year, which we enjoyed more than our school work.

From here we went on to the fourth grade, a great advancement because we were now upstairs with the fifth and sixth grades. We were really getting to be big stuff. Our teacher this year was Mrs. Ruth Hentsch. Our new classmates were: Norma Miller, Marcia Bloom, Judy Williams, and Bill Dumbler. Our fourth grade year went smoothly according to calculations or should we say multiplication tables? Our losses this year were: Bill Dumbler, Patricia Chambers, Judy Williams, Duane Pullen, Joyce Selby, Norma Miller, and Donna Finkle. Next came fifth grade and while we were on our way, we stopped to pick up an old friend, Bonnie Ankeny. The new teacher directing our class this year was Miss Mary Waymire, now Mrs. Ralph Strange. We gained a few classmates this year which helped to make up for the heavy loss last year. The new students were Leona Raines, Howard Watson, Bob Link, Sharon Cahoon, and Vernon Else.

Our fifth grade year proved to be an interesting year indeed. In search for new experiences of obvious educational value, we decided to have a party whenever we could.

We began with a surprise birthday party for Miss Waymire. This we followed with several birthday parties for class members; then topped it all off with a big surprise engagement party for our teacher. Then we found out she was getting married to "Doc" Strange. Wow! We did have fun that year! In fact, we all enjoyed it so much that we decided that parties should become a class tradition from then on. Our only losses this year were: Howard Watson, Juanita O'Riley and Sharon Cahoon.

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Leaving the fifth grade, we made our way on up the ladder of education to the sixth grade. We found here a triple threat of teachers: Miss Sylvia Enarson, Mrs. Agnes Milligan, and Mrs. Vera Buffon, Inc. Our new classmates this year consisted of Kenneth Sierp and Roger Littell, who, as far as the girls were concerned, were a welcome addition.

This year was our big year for we were now the upperclassmen of the Lincoln

building and we readily had good. Now we could use the basketball court or anything else whenever we wanted to and when we wanted to be Chuck Graham or Don Heller, there was no upperclassman to tell us that we couldn't. And, of course, true to our newly founded tradition, we had several parties which included a birthday party for Miss Enarson in which our whole class sneaked up the fire escape with refreshments and gave Miss Enarson, our principal, the surprise of her life. We lost this year Mary Lowenburg and Bob Link. When we reached Junior High, we found a different situation entirely. What's

this? A "man" teacher? 11 Good heavens--two teachers at once! Miss Myrna Hughes, now Mrs. Bob Johnson, and Mr. Donald Holstrom. Our recess was replaced with P. T., with the boys playing softball and basketball under the direction of Mr. Holstrom. The girls played softball and basketball under the direction of Miss Hughes.

We gained eight other girls: Jean Shipman, Amelia Williams. Shirley Stevenson, Ruth Units, Lavon Adair, Barbara Bartz, Shirley Jones, Lois Goodwin, and Joyce Norcross. There were a few losses, however. We lost: Roger Littell, SharonMoriarty, Willis Baker, Shirley Jones, and Betty Currie.

Finally, after eight years of blood, sweat, and toil--eighth grade. The teachers were Mr. Alfred Clark, Mrs. Mary Strange, Miss Sylvia Enarson, and Miss Elna Langford. Along with troubles there was fun to make up for everything else.

Beginning our freshman year, our numbers increased to include Bill Kernen,

Eldon Hill, Wayne Smith, Leo Davies, Manfred Balduan, David Windom, Everette Lee, Bernard Brenton, Willis Baker, Marlyn Gray, Alan Meier, Mary Barr, Joyce Peterson, Charlotte Crouse, Virginia Hein, Richard Brown, Leona Raines, John Bashaw, Shirley Cozad, Donna Vannausdle, Norma Waage, Shirley Stevenson, and Joanne Miller. During this year we had the distinction of being the wealthiest class in school. For class parties we went skating, had a dance, and a scavenger hunt. Our class officers were: President Charles Burton, Vice-President Leona Johnson, Secretary Bonnie McFarland, and Treasurer Kenny Sierp. Our sponsors were Mrs. Hyink and

Coach Fred Humphrey. We lost four members: Lois Goodwin, Marcia Bloom, Joanne Miller, and Amelia Williams.

As sophomores we had passed another milestone in our journey of education. This

year we had two parties—a dance at the Country Club and another skating party. During the course of events we made some more money and it was applied toward our prom. The class officers were President Bob Means, Vice-President Charles Burton, Secretary Mary Barr, and Treasurer Charlotte Crouse. Because we had gotten along so well with our last year's sponsors, we asked Coach Humphrey back and because Mrs. Hyink had left, we chose Mrs. Yungschlager, who was later replaced by Coach Ken Jones.

Then came the junior year, our pinnacle of success, in which we staged one of the most economical and magnificent Jr.-Sr. proms ever recorded in the history of dear old V.H.S. It's theme was a Hawaiian Cruise. We gained Mary Hoffman this year and lost: Shirley Stevenson, Manfred Balduan, Marlyn Gray, Sharon Draper, Norma Waage, Donna Vannausdle, Joyce Freeman, Jean Shipman. Another high spot of this year was "Dear Ruth," our class play. Even though it was not extremely profitable, it will provide many memories in future time for the cast members: Kent Richey, John Bashaw, Pete Beery, Dave Snow, Janet Sanders, Mary Hossman, Carmen Smith, and Joyce Norcross. Class officers were President Charles Burton, Vice-President Kent Richey, Secretary David Snow, and Co-Treasurers Ken Sierp and Janice Olenius. Our junior sponsors were Miss Steinhauser and Miss Castner.

Then came that last, long-awaited destination; we were seniors. At last we had gained the top rung of the ladder and we knew it. As seniors we lacked very little. We enjoyed the best of parties which were far from lacking in number . Our Senior Class Play was entitled "Ghosts" with a cast of: Pete Beery, Mary Hossman, John Bashaw, Bob Means, and Virginia Hein. For class parties we attended the prom and went on Senior Skip Day. Our class officers were President David Snow, Vice-President Bill Kernen, Secretary Ken Sierp, and Treasurer Joyce Norcross. Our class sponsors were Mr. Laipple and Mr. Hansen. This year we lost only Ruth Units who missed us so that she soon returned.

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SENIOR SNAPS

Down on the farm Just hanging around. man's best friend. A fine pose.

Just thinking.
"Now if you ask me--."
Brr--it's cold!
Talking as usual.

Ginger

Ain't love grand? A little cutie.

# YR1956PG022

UNDERCLASSMEN

### YR1956PG023

PRES V PRES SECY TREAS TREAS JUNIORS

Row 1: (L to R) Williams, Don Ashmore, Vincent Hein, Peggy

Row 2: Taylor, Lynn Penwell, Pat

- Row 3: Wilcoxon, Donald Waage, Helen Wilcoxon, Cecil Neal, Betty Lou Reynolds, Larry
- Row 4: Fisher, Sharon McFarland, Bernice Linn, Jack Davies, Ted
- Row 5: Fisher, Gale Hoffman, Donna Archer, Dean Nippert, LaVera Wilhelm, Heather
- Row 6: Webster, Bob Brown, Bob Eberly, Linda Forsythe, Darwin
- Row 7: Hoyt, Karen Burden, Donna Hedstrom, Susie Walters, Ron Sprague, Jane

### YR1956PG024

- Row 1: (L to R) Palmquist, Janet Buffon, LeRoy Smith, Joyce Lindell, Don
- Row 2: Doggett, Pat Sprague, Roger Smith, Frances Olson, Jim Anson, Beverly
- Row 3: Johnson, Wilma Lewis, Darwin Arterburn, Rosalene Lewis, RonG.
- Row 4: Davis, Laurel Ann Williams, Darwin Johnson, Delores Moser, Jim Brown, Frances
- Row 5: Wheeler, Wanda Greenfield, Joe Stevenson, Shirley Hanson, David
- Row 6: Stuvick, Karen Means, Janet Frazee, Sharon Barr, Peggy

#### YR1956PG025

### PRES V PRES

SECY TREAS

**SOPHOMORES** 

- Row 1: (L to R) Penwell, Sandy Branan, Jim
- Row 2: Welsh, Nancy Stille, Morris
- Row 3: Carlson, Karene Wilson, John Lines, Linda Burns, Fred Smith, Joan
- Row 4: TenEyck,Tom Miller,Margaret McKinley,Merl Ackerman,Connie
- Row 5: Weaver, Beverly Hardisty, Darrell Stackhouse, Ann Croxdale, Mike Guss, Sandy
- Row 6: Hart, Ron Lee, Mary Weil, Rick Hess, Bernadine
- Row 7: Findley, JoAnne Ankeny, Eddie Lindell, Betty Magnuson, Max

# YR1956PG026

- Row 1: (L to R) Sprague, Gary Thorson, Judy Nordyke, Judd Ossian, Judy Penwell, Alvin
- Row 2: Christie, Nickie Garey, Darwin Mack, Carol Johnson, Richard
- Row 3: Noble, David Hanson, Jeanette Peterson, Ted Brown, Nita Sidwell, John
- Row 4: Cary, Doris Neal, Larry Lee Neal, Kathalene Scott, William
- Row 5: Hays, Allen Richey, Jeannie Cooper, Ron Bauer, Pat Crowdy, Darrell
- Row 6: Gray, Sharon Gidley, Allan Arterburn, Gail Hendrix, Martin
- Row 7: Archer, Glenn White, Gary Erickson, Pat Garey, ArvidD.

### YR1956PG027

# PRES V PRES

SECY TREAS

- FRESHMEN
- Row 1: (L to R) Selley,Roger Sierp,Bob
- Row 2: Schaffer, Helen Shepherd, David
- Row 3: Freshour, Gloria Burton, John Waage, Janice Taylor, Garry Hossman, Elinor
- Row 4: Webster, Beverly Victor, Bill Hinkle, Donna Doan, Charles
- Row 5: Felt,Nancy Core,Richard McClelland,MaryLou Baker,David Wilcoxon,Norma
- Row 6: Jamison, Connie Poston, Roger Greenfield, Jean Guthrie, Sharon
- Row 7: Currin, Ann Bean, Karen Gray, Jean Branan, Marie Carlson, Marcia

### YR1956PG028

Row 1: (L to R) Hoyt, Connie Anson, Duane Peterson, Deloris Johnson, Harland Olson, Saundra

- Row 2: Core, Judy Burden, Duane Sprague, Lois Phillis, Richard
- Row 3: Adair, Kay Gray, Richard Finkle, Sharon Farlin, Leo Guss, June
- Row 4: Wilhelm, Connie Brannan, Maurice Asklof, Shirley King, Gary
- Row 5: Lewis, Margaret Hendry, Donald Guss, Joan Haley, Charles Cartwright, Sandra
- Row 6: Hein, Jeanne Smith, Gary Neal, Janice Doll, Lee
- Row 7: Miller, Joyce McFarland, Bill McCullough, Carol Sperry, Harley French, Linda

#### YR1956PG029

**SNAPSHOTS** 

Beat it!

Time out for a coke.

Taking life easy.

Watch the birdie!

Beautiful aren't they?

Oh! Those good ole days!

### YR1956PG030

**ACTIVITIES** 

### YR1956PG031

ANNUAL STAFF

Editor Dave Snow

Co-Editor Kent Richey

Make Up Editor Virginia Hein

Senior Editors LaVon Adair Bonnie Ankeny

Business Manager Bob Means

Sales Manager James Olenius

Ticket Sales Janet Sanders

Photographers Pete Beery John Bashaw Social Editors Janice Olenius Carmen Smith

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Activity Editors Leona Johnson Joyce Norcross

Sports Editors Ken Sierp Norm Anson Bill Kernen

Typists Mary Himiller Norma Freeman

Underclassmen Editor Charlotte Crouse

Administration Editor Mary Hossman

History Charles Burton David Windom

This yearbook of the Class of 1956 is an attempt to capture and preserve the many memories of our school days. We have recorded on these pages some of the happenings of our past days of school, and the names and pictures of our teachers, classmates, and friends. When we review these pages in the years to come, may they bring back happy recollections of our high school days.

Now we are ready to leave, but firstwe would like to say to you teachers and fellow students--thanks for everything. We have both gained from and enjoyed your company. We hope that you have found it likewise. Sponsored by Means Hardware and Beatrice Foods Co.

### YR1956PG032

# STUDENT COUNCIL

Left to Right: Don Williams, President; Carmen Smith, Vice-President; Virginia Hein, Secretary; Mike Croxdale, Treasurer; Mr. Laipple, Advisor.

The Student Council is an organization of those elected members who represent the students of VHS Ma self-

governing group. They suggest ways that our school can be a better one. This year, sections of the Constitution were rewritten, and the club sent delegates to Iowa Association Student Council Convention at which time our local President, Don Williams, was elected State Vice-President, Sponsored by Kendrick & Vance and Rialto Theatre

#### YR1956PG033

**FUTURE FARMERS of** 

**AMERICA** 

TOP ROW, Left to Right: G. Fisher, J. Olson, R. Walters, T. Davies, B. Brown, L. Reynolds, B. McFarland, L. Davies,

C. Wilcoxon, D. Forsythe, D. Williams, M. Hendrix, G. King,

D. Crowdy, J. Linn, D. Windom. SECOND ROW: J. Wilson, B. Victor, G. Smith, H. Sperry, G. Archer, R. Cooper, M. Stille, R. Hart, W. Smith, B. Kernen, B. Brenton, D. Brown, J. Olenius, L. Buffon, C. Haley, A. Hayes. BOTTOM ROW: G. Taylor, L. Neal, A. Penwell, R. Selley, D. Lindell, D. Lewis, R. Johnson, D. Hanson, A. Meier, V. Else, M. Brannan, D. Williams, R. Poston, L. Taylor, L. Doll, H. Johnson, Reno Smith. Advisor.

Left to Right: Kenneth Sierp, Don Lindell, Reno Smith, Lynn Taylor, David Windom, Ronald Hart Don Williams, Bernard Brenton.

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### YR1956PG034

HI-Y CLUB

Clean Sport, Clean Speech, Clean Living, is the platform of the Hi-Y Boys. They try to spread this throughout the school. They donated to the Red Cross, March of Dime s, and World Service. The club also had installation of officers and played Hi- Y Tournament basketball. They sponsored a dance after a basketball game. The Hi-Y Boys also sold boxes of candy at Christmas time which helped to raise funds for their organization.

Left to Right: Mr. Pierson, Advisor; Cecil Wilcoxon, District Rep.; Don Williams, Sec'y; Charles Burton, Pres.; Ron Lewis, V-Pres.; Don Wilcoxon, Chaplin; Lynn Taylor, District Rep.; and Dave Snow, Treasurer. Sponsored by Johnson Radio & Electric and Clark Bros.

### YR1956PG035

Y-TEENS

STANDING, Left to Right; Betty Lindell; Janice Olenius; Mary Barr; Sharon Fisher; Virginia Hein; Joyce Norcross; Frances Smith; Carol Mack; Jane Sprague; Nickie Christie SITTING: Mrs. Vonnahme, Sponsor; Mary Hossman; Patty Doggett; Charlotte Crouse, Vice - President; Leona Johnson, President; Peggy Hein, Secretary; Betty Neal, Treasurer; Frances 13( own; Carmen Smith.

Activities of Club

Father - Daughter Banquet . . . Mother - Daughter Tea . . . Mexican Fiesta . . . Initiation . . . Christmas Kiddie Party . . . Leap Year Dance . . . Installment of Officers . . . Sell Peanuts . . . Basketball Pencils . . . Concession Stand at Football Games . . . Prepared and Served FFA Banquet.

Sponsored by the Y-Teens

### YR1956PG036

NEWSPAPER STAFF

Left to Right: David Snow, John Bashaw, Kent Richey, Bob Means, Carmen Smith, Leona Johnson, Virginia Hein, Joyce Norcross. Not pictured: David Windom and Miss Burrish, Advisor.

JOURNALISM CLASS

TOP ROW, Left to Right: Mary Hossman, Don Williams, Don Wilcoxon, Cecil Wilcoxon, Ron Lewis, Heather Wilhelm. BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: Peggy Barr, Mary Himiller, Pat Penwell, Janet Palmquist, Sharon Frazee,

Peggy Hein, Sharon Fisher, and Janis Hedstrom.

Sponsored by the Villisca Review

# YR1956PG037

#### DRAMATICS CLUB

The Dramatics Club, with Mr. Vance Hansen as advisor, had an active club this year. They held a preliminary speech contest in Villisca. The club has presented a one-act play and a contest play. Several member s entered the speech contest and six contestants and the play advanced on to the District Contest.

Left to Right: Lynn Taylor, Treasurer; Peggy Hein, Secretary; Carmen Smith, Vice-President; Mary Hossman, President.

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# YR1956PG038

### LETTER CLUB

This is the third year that the Letter Club has been in existence. A boy is required to have a letter in some sport to become a member of this organization. The advisors are Fred Humphrey and Chuck Graham .

Left to Right: Bob Means, Vice President; Bill Kernen, President; David Snow, Secretary and Treasurer. Sponsored by Scott Motor Sales and Goldsmith Shoe Store

### YR1956PG039

### LIBRARIANS

TOP ROW, Left to Right: N. Freeman, J. Peterson, B. Hess, J. Hanson, M. Himiller, A. Stackhouse, J. Sanders. SECOND ROW, Left to Right: K. Neal, B. Lindell, J. Thorson, W. Wheeler,

J. Norcross, J. Means, F. Smith, J. Sprague. BOTTOM ROW: Miss Gardner, N. Brown, B. Neal, L. Nippert, B. Ankeny,

K. Stuvick, M. Hossman, C. Smith, V. Hein.

Left to Right: Social Chairman, Betty Neal; Secretary and Treasurer, Karen Stuvick; President, Bonnie Ankeny; Vice-President, LaVera Nippert.

The Librarian's Club is an important part of the school. They are in charge of books, papers, and magazines taken from the library. They meet twice a month and held a covered-dish supper for Christmas at the home of Miss Lila Gardner, Advisor.

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MUSIC

### YR1956PG041

# BAND

The Band has performed in many ways this year. They marched at all home football games and entered local parades. They presented fall and spring concerts and concerts during the summer.

PEP BAND

Drum Major is Darwin Williams and the Majorettes from left to right are Janis Hedstrom, Nancy Welch, Lavon Adair, and Jeanne Richey.

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# YR1956PG042

# **CHORUS**

The Chorus has acquired a new room, a new piano, and several new robes this year. They are to be commended on all of the work that they put into their TV show, radio program, concerts and exchange program. They meet twice a week.

The Madrigal group consists of the five quartets from the music department who tried out for All State. They presented a musical review. The two quartets in the center went on to All-State Chorus in Des Moines. SEATED: Vice-President Virginia Hein, Treasurer Nickie Christie. STANDING: Secretary Lynn Taylor, and President Alan Meier.

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# YR1956PG043

### GLEE CLUBS

The Girls' and Boys' Glee Clubs were composed of 80 girls and 36 boys. The members of each club were chosen at the beginning of the school year by their director, Miss Rose Mary Castner.

The Girls' Glee Club was divided into the Freshman-Sophomore and Junior-Senior groups because of the large number of girls. Each group met at a different time during the week.

Accompanist for the Boys' Glee Club was Leona Johnson. A number of different girls were given the opportunity to accompany the Girls' Glee Club.

The Boys' Glee Club was recognized enthusiastically at both school and community functions. Sponsored by Villisca Monument Works and Bryson-Franks

# YR1956PG044

### MUSICAL ENSEMBLES

TOP ROW, Left to Right: Dave Snow, Charles Burton, Richard Johnson, Kent Richey. BOTTOM ROW: Sam Carmichael, Dave Noble, Alan Meier, Pat Penwell, Mike Croxdale.

Left to Right: Helen Shaffer, Nickie Christie, Jean Richey, Pat Bauer, Connie Hoyt. BOTTOM ROW: Sandra Penwell, Lois Sprague, Carol McCullough, Connie Jamison.

TOP ROW, Left to Right: Janet Palmqui st, Janis Hedstrom, Sharon Fisher. SECOND ROW: Karen Stuvick, Peggy Hein, Virginia Hein. BOTTOM ROW: Pat Doggett, Leona Johnson, Heather Wilhelm.

Left to Right: Dave Snow, Leroy Buffon, Kent Richey, Charles Burton, Alan Gidley, Mary Hossman.

# YR1956PG045

**SOCIETY** 

### YR1956PG046

# HOMECOMING

Left to Right: Janet Palmquist, Junior; Virginia Hein, Senior; Queen, LaVon Adair, Senior; Leona Johnson, Senior; Pat Penwell, Junior.

### QUEEN

VHS Homecoming Queen for this year was LaVon Adair. The girls , three seniors and two juniors , were nominated by the football boys and the student body elected the queen. LaVon was crowned by Co-Captains Everette Lee and Dick Brown. Tommy and Jerry Graham carried the crown and a bouquet of flowers.

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**ATHLETICS** 

# YR1956PG048

**SENIORS** 

Dick Brown

Quarterback

Co- Captain

Everette Lee

Center

Co-Captain Leo Davies Tackle Bill Kernen -Tackle John Bashaw End Al Meier Line Backer

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Wayne Smith Halfback Eldon Hill End Bernard Brenton Guard Pete Beery Line Backer Bob Means Guard

# YR1956PG050

### **FOOTBALL**

# **SCORES**

VILLISCA	OPPONENT				
0	Bedford	27			
0	Atlantic	33			
0	Shenandoah	32			
7	Glenwood	32			
0	Corning	28			
0	Creston	33			
0	Red Oak	36			
6	Clarinda	26			

The Villisca Bluejays, although they dropped all eight games, showed steady improvement against tough opposition. Seniors, Bernard Brenton, Alan Meier, Bill Kernen, Everette Lee, Bob Means, and Wayne Smith, were among nine returning lettermen. Bill Woodward and Mary Peterson, regulars on last year's squad, were missing this season. Sophomore guard, Morris Stille, was a first team all-conference selection. Everette Lee, senior center, was picked on the second squad. Everette Lee and quarterback Dick Brown were selected as cocaptains by the squad.

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# BASKETBALL TEAM

### 1955-56 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

VARSIT Y Villisca Opponent					RESER' Villisca	VES Opponent
40	28	Nov.	8	College Springs		
40	37		15	Bedford	36	24
			18	Northboro	18	42
24	67		19	Abraham Lincoln	31	56
			29	Stennett	49	61
46	39	Dec.	2	Glenwood	40	46
36	37		6	Clarinda	41	28
42	66		9	Atlantic	20	60
46	64		13	Creston	48	37
50	79		16	Shenandoah	42	39

53	56		20	Corning	43	37
51	57	Jan.	3	Bedford	47	50
30	67		6	Red Oak	51	47
44	58		10	Glenwood	49	39
43	50		13	Clarinda	50	36
46	56		20	Creston	54	41
			24	Northboro	50	56
48	56		27	Shenandoah	52	55
24	73	Feb.	3	Red Oak	42	34
38	64		10	Atlantic	54	59
56	39		14	Braddyville	39	37
70	49		17	Corning	63	23
59	76		21	Shenandoah (Sectional		
				Tournament)		

Won 5

Lost 15

Villisca 44.2 points per game Opponent 55.9 points per game

Won 12

Lost 9

Villisca 43.8 points per game Opponent 43.2 points per game Sponsored by Needham Garage and Dunn's Variety

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Kent Richey

Senior

Center

Ron Lewis

Junior

Forward

Jim Moser

Junior

Guard

Norm Anson

Senior

Forward Dave Noble

Sophomore

Guard

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# YR1956PG053

### VARSITY

VARSITY, Left to Right: Ron Lewis, Dave Noble, Jim Moser, Norm Anson. Kent Richey, Ken Sierp, Vince Ashmore, Dick Brown.

Ken Sierp

Co-Captain

Senior

Guard

Vince Ashmore Co-Captain Junior

Forward

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### YR1956PG054

TRACK TEAM

PETER BEERY Quarter and Medley

BERNARD BRENTON Quarter and Mile Relay

**DAVID HANSON Speed Boy** 

DAVID NOBLE

880 Relay and Pole Vault --Y.\

VINCENT ASHMORE \\- Hurdles and Sprints

# YR1956PG055

**ELDON HILL Half Mile** 

RONNIE COOPER 2 Mile Relay

RESERVE LETTERMEN

BACK ROW, Left to Right: Teddy Davies, Darwin Williams, Richard Johnson, Morris Stille. FRONT ROW: Ronnie Lewis, Dick Brown, Tom TenEyck.

The highlights of the '56 track season were the State Indoor Meet at Iowa City, the Tri-State Meet at Tarkio, and the Blue Jay Relays on the home track.

Marvin Peterson, one of the Blue Jays' best half milers, didn't run this year due to an injury suffered the previous summer. The track squad, as well as the football and basketball teams, suffered greatly from the loss of this all-around athlete.

# YR1956PG056

# GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM

**BASKETBALL SCHEDULE** 

	Opponents	Villisca
Nov. 8 - College Springs	66	57
n - Walnut	69	49
18 - Northboro	52	50
29 - Stennett	56	55
Dec. 2 - Elk Horn	73	43
9 - Hamburg	68	71
13 - Glenwood	52	77
20 - Elk Horn	66	42
Jan. 6 - Lenox	74	69
9 - Clarinda Junior College	76	78
13 - College Springs	82	62
19 - Stanton	52	70
21 - Wales-Lincoln	64	59
24- Northboro	74	64
27 - Lenox	57	65
Feb. 1 - Stanton	59	64
2 - Richland Township	70	77
4 - Cromwell	71	76
7 - Glenwood	76	72

13 - Tingley	64	60
Record: Won 8 Team Totals	1321	1266
Lost 11 Average	69.5	66.7

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### YR1956PG057

### JAYETTES

Left to Right: Bernice McFarland, Guard; Wanda Wheeler, Guard; Heather Wilhelm, Guard; Beverly Anson, Post Forward; Mary Hoffman, Guard; Jeanne Richey, Forward; and Patty Doggett, Forward.

The Jayettes started the 1955-56 season with a new lineup which lacked experience due to the graduation of four starters. This fact was responsible for a slow start by the cage team, but as the season progressed and the girls gained experience and self-confidence, they found the victories -came easier. They reached their peak during the time of the County and Sectional Tournaments, being runner-up to Wales-Lincoln in the final playoff of the County Tourney. The Villisca gals then went on to win the three games of the Sectional Tournament at Prescott and become the first girls' team in Villisca High School history to win a Sectional Tourney, and an automatic District birth. A strong Tingley team ended their bid in the first game at Creston.

Much will be expected from this squad and their Coach Jack Argotsinger next year as only one girl will be lost by graduation.

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### YR1956PG058

**CHEERLEADERS** 

VARSITY

Left to Right:

Sandra Penwell Janis Hedstrom Janet Palmquist Carmen Smith Bonnie Ankeny

"B" SQUAD

Left to Right:

Connie Jamison Shirley Asklof Jeanne Hein Lois Sprague Nancy Felt

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### DEDICATION

Reno Smith has devoted the past seventeen years of his life to our school and community, teaching better farming methods leading to greater prosperity to his students and the farmers of this area. He has been both a fine teacher and friend and has shown not only knowledge but also understanding and guidance. For his endless labor and loving service to his students, school, and community we wish to express our appreciation

and thanks by dedicating this 1957 "Blue Jay" to him and by saying "God bless you always!"

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### TRIBUTE

TRIBUTE TO OUR PARENTS

For the hardships you have endured, the sacrifices you have made, for your guidance and continual love, we the members of the Senior Class wish to take this opportunity in the 1957 "Blue Jay" to express our sincere gratitude and appreciation to you, our parents. To you we can merely say, "Thank You."

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VICE-PRESIDENT BOB BROWN

Football 1-4; Basketball 1-4; Track 1-3; Hi-Y 1,2; F.F.A. 1-4; Annual Staff 4; Co-Captain Football

### YR1957PG013

### PRANCES SMITH

Girls Glee Club 1-4; Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3; Librarian 2-4; Dramatics 3; Driver's Club 4 BOB WEBSTER Hi-Y 1

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Girls Glee Club 2,3; Y-Teens 1-4; Class Officer 1,

2; Dramatics 1; Annual Staff 4 Volcano Staff 3,4;

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### YR1957PG014

# VINCENT ASHMORE

Football 1-4; Basketball 1-4; Basketball 1; Track 1-4; Co-Captain Football 4; Co-Captain Basketball 3; Hi-Y 1,2,4; Student Council 4; Student Council Officer; Class Officer 1, 3; Class Play 3; One Act Play 1

DARWIN LEWIS Football 2; Track 1,3; Boys Glee Club 2,3; Chorus 2,3; Hi-Y 1,4; F.F.A. 1-4; Student Council 4; Shield in F.F.A.

TED DAVIES Football 1-4; Track 1-3; Hi-Y 1,2; F.F.A. 1-4; Co-Captain in football

# **PEGGY HEIN**

Girls Glee Club 1-3; Chorus 1, 2; Nonettes 3; Pep Club 2; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3,4; Class Officer 3; Class Play 3; Annual Staff 4; Volcano Staff 3,4; Dramatics Club Officer 3; Librarian 2; Principal's Secretary JANET PALMQUIST Cheerleader 1-4; Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Pep Band 1-4; Girls Glee Club 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Madrigal 3-4; All -State Choir 2; Accompanist 3-4; Triple-trio 2; Nonettes 3; Girls Trio 4; Girls Quartette 4; Choir President 4; Pep Club 1-3; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 1; Class Officer 1; Class Play 3; 3 Act play 2; Band Officer 4; Volcano Staff 3-4; Annual Co-Editor 4; Principal's Secretary 4; Junior Homecoming Attendent Senior Homecoming Attendent

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### LYNN TAYLOR

Track 1; Boys Glee Club 2-4; Chorus 2-4; Vocal Group 3-4; Hi-Y 1-4; F.F.A. 1-4; F.F.A. Vice Pres. 3; Student Council 2,4; Class Treasure 3; Annual Staff 4

ROGER SPRAGUE

Basketball 1-2; Track 1;

Boyes Glee Club 1-2; Chorus 1-3; Pep Club 1; Hi-Y 1; Class Play 3

#### KAREN STUVICK

Girls Glee Club 1-4; Chorus 1-3-4; Vocal Group 3; Pep Club 2-3; Student Council 2; Carnival Queen Attendent 1; Holly Daze Dance Queen 3: Driver's Club Sect. 4

PAT DOGGETT Basketball 1-4; Pep Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Girls Glee Club 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Vocal Group 2-4; Pep Club 1-3; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Pres . 4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3,4; Student Council 1; One Act Play 1; Annual

JANIS HEDSTROM Cheerleading 1-3; Pep Band 1,4; Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Girls Glee Club 1-4; Chorus 1-4; All-State Chorus 3,4; Triple Trio 2; Madrigal 3,4; Nonettes 3; Trio 3; Girl's Barbershop Quartet 4; Pep Club 1-3; Y-Teens 1-4; State Drama Contest 3; Class Play 3; One Act Play 1,3; Annual Staff 4; Volcano 3,4; Band Officer 4; Dramatics Club Officer 4; Homecoming Attendant 4; Principal's Secretary

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# LEROY BUFFON

Basketball 2,3; Track 1-4; Marching Band 1-4; Pep Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Boys Glee Club 1, 3; Instrumental Group 1-4; National Band in F.F.A. 4; Band Officer 4; Hi-Y 1, 2; F.F.A. 1-4; Dramatics Club Play 4; Speech (Declam) 4

JANET MEANS

Basketball 2-4; Girls Glee Club 3; Pep Club 2; Y-Teens 1-4; Student Council 2; Librarian 3-4; Dramatics Club 1-3 ROSALENE ARTERBURN Alternating Cheerleader 2: Girls Glee Club 1-3: Chorus 1 Dramatics 1-4 LAUREL ANNE DAVIS Y-Teens 2-4

JIM MOSER

Basketball 1-3; Track 1-2; Hi-Y 1-4; Class Officer 2; Class Play 3

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HEATHER WILHELM Basketball 1-4; Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Grils Glee 2-4; Madrigal 4; Chorus 2-4; Accompanist 3-4; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teens V. Pres. 4; Student council 3; Annual Staff 4; Volcano Staff 3-4; Nonettes 3: Senior Trio 4

CECIL WILCOXON Hi-Y 1-4; Hi-Y V. Pres. 4; F.F.A. 1-4; Dramatics 3-4; One Act Play 3-4; Volcano Staff 3-4; Hi-Y Senate Officer 4

PAT PENWELL Basketball 1-2; Pep band 1-4; Marching band 1-4; Concert band 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Girls Glee Club 1-4; Madrigal 3,4; Accompanist 3,4; Choir sec. 4; Instrumental group 1-4; All-State Chorus 4; Pep Club 1-3; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Student Council 4; Class

Officer 3: Class Play 3: One Act Play 1: Volcano staff 3: Volcano Editor 4: Sextette 1-3: 4 Hits and a Miss 3: Senior Trio 4; Barbershop Quartet 4; Homecoming Attendant 3; Homecoming Queen 4 LAVERA NIPPERT Girls Glee Club 1-3; Chorus 3; Pep Club 3; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet; Librarian 2-4 Librarian V.Pres . 2-3; Principal's Secretary 4

RON WALTERS Baseball 2: Track 1-3: Hi-Y 2: F.F.A. 1-4: Carnival King 1

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DEAN ARCHER

Football 1-3; Boys Glee Club 2-4; Chorus 1, 3,4; Hi-Y 1 LINDA EBERLY Girls Glee Club 3,4; Y-Teens 1-4 BEVERLY ANSON

Basketball 1-4; Y-Teens 1-4

JACK LINN

Basketball Manager 4; F.F, A. 1-4

JANE SPRAGUE

Basketball 1-3; Y-Teens 1-4; Librarian 2-4;

#### YR1957PG019

DOLORES JOHNSON Girls Glee Club 1-4; Chorus 2,4; Pep Club 2; Y-Teens 2-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Dramatics Club 3,4; Class Play 3; Annual Staff 4; Cheerleading 3, 4

DARWIN FORSYTHE Football 1; Pep Club 1-3; F. F.A. 1-4

SHARON FRAZEE Marching band 1-4; Pep band 1-4; Concert band 1-4; Chorus 1,4; Girls Glee Club 1,3,4; All-State Chorus 4; Girls Barbershop Quartet 4; Senior Trio 4; Madrigal 4; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 1,4; Pep Club 1; Student Council 3; Band Officer 2; Librarian 4; Annual Staff 4; Volcano Staff 3,4; Principal"s Secretary 4 KAREN HOYT

Girls Glee Club 3,4; Y-Teens 1-4

DON LINDELL Basketball 2-4; Track 1-3; Hi-Y 1-4; F.F.A. 1-4; Class Play 3; Driver's Club; Shield and 5" V in F.F.A.

#### YR1957PG020

WILMA JOHNSON Girls Glee Club 2,3; Chorus 2,3; Y-Teens 13; Librarian 2, 3;

FRANCES BROWN Basketball 1-4; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3;

GALE FISHER Basketball 1-3; Track 1-3; Pep Club 2-3; Hi-Y 2; F. F.A. 1-4

BERNICE McFARLAND Basketball 1-4: Y-Teens 1-4

DAVID HANSON

Basketball 1-3; Track 1-4; Boys Glee Club 3; Hi-Y 1-4; F.F.A. 1-4; Shield in F.F.A.

#### YR1957PG021

LARRY REYNOLDS

Football 3; Basketball 2-3;

Track 1-3: Pep Club 2: F.F.A.

1-4; 5" V in F.F.A.

JIM OLSON

Football 1-3; Basketball 2; Track 1-3; F.F.A. 1-3;

WANDA WHEELER Basketball 1-4: Captain 4: Y-Teens 1-4: Librarian 3-4:

**HELEN WAAGE Y-Teens 1-4** 

JOE GREENFIELD Basketball 2; Boys Glee Club 4; Hi-Y 1; F.F.A. 1

MARVIN PETERSON Football 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Track 1,2; Contest Play 1; Letter Club 2; V-Club 1; Dramatics Club 1; F.F.A. 1; Pep Club 1,2; Hi-Y 1,2; Class President 1;

### YR1957PG024

# Junior

Croxdale, Mike Germar, Gary Branan, Jim Hart, Ron Stackhouse, Ann Ankeny, Eddie Erickson, Pat Ten Eyck, Tom Arterburn, Gail Sprague, Gary Cary, Doris White, Gary Smith, Joan Gray, Sharon Anderson, Charles Richev Jeannie Kuhn Larry Carlson Karene Hendrix Martin Brown Nita Cooper Ron Scott William Bauer Pat Archer, Glenn Weaver, Beverly Hays, Allen Guss, Sandy Neal, Larry Lee Mack, Carol

### YR1957PG025

Hanson, Jeanette Wilson, John Lee, Mary McKinley, Merl Lindell, Betty Magnuson, Max Ossian, Judy Penwell, Alvin Stille, Morris Ackerman, Connie Zellmer, Richard Penwell, Sandy Nordyke, Judd Findley, JoAnne Peterson, Ted Hess, Bernadine Thorson, Judy Gidley, Allan McFarland, Jean Sidwell, John Welsh, Nancy Johnson, Richard Lines, Linda Crowdy, Darrell Christie, Nickie Burns, Fred Neal, Kathalene

# YR1957PG026

# Sophomore

Jamison, Connie Taylor, Garry McCullough, Carol Sperry, Harley Olson, Saundra Geer, Judy Wilhelm, Connie Carlson, Marcia Miller, Joyce Felt, Nancy Hossman, Elinor McClelland, MaryLou Webster, Beverly

Johnson, Harland Hoyt, Connie Doan, Charles French, Linda Brannan, Maurice Miller, Margaret Baker, David Poston, Roger Waage, Janice Core, Richard Branan, Marie Anson, Duane Greenfield, Jean Cooney, Gary Gray, Jean Cartwright, Sandra Farlin, Leo Bean, Karen King, Gary Schaffer, Helen Phillis, Richard Neal, Janice Smith, Gary

#### YR1957PG027

Lewis,Margaret Gray,Richard Wilcoxon,Norma Hendry,Donald Hein,Jeanne Haley,Charles Freshour,Gloria Doll,Lee McFarland,Bill Finkle,Sharon Adair,Kay Anderson,Gerald Guss,June Guthrie,Sharon Hinkle,Donna Victor,Bill Asklof,Shirley Selley,Roger Peterson,Deloris Sierp,Bob Sprague,Lois Burton,John Garland,Sandy Shepherd,David Currin,Ann Guss,Joan Raines,Marlis Morehouse,Naomi

### YR1957PG028

### Freshmen

Barlow,Mike Germar,Jim Danback,Peggy Penwell,Kathie Artlip,Jim Howell,Carolyn Higgins,David Sierp,Marlene Smith,Jerry Rupp,Sandra Jackson,Ron Baker,Dorothy Hayes,Linda Posten,Pam Crowdy,Gary Rupp,Patsy Sprague,Jim Needham,Shirley Brannan,Bob Selby,Larry Johnston,Ron Kirby,Lois Hodge,Jim Gourley,Sandra Carmichael,Fred Palmquist,Jeanne Carlson,Bob Northup,Russ

### YR1957PG029

McCoy,Monroe McFarland,Doug King,GaryL. Fisher,Guila Adair,Jean Johnson,Clyde Brenton,Bill Christie,Dennis Wheeler,Larry Baker,Elroy White,Gene Kalkas,Rachael Clayton,Carolyn Findley,Jim Warnaca,Donovan Smith,Tom Briggs,Elaine Greenfield,Bob Taylor,Melvin McKee,Joe Miller,Dick Odson,Janice Carmichael,Dale Neal,Lyle

### YR1957PG030

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Sports, Boys Ron Lewis

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Junior Member-Nickie Christie

Sophomore Member- Deloris Peterson

Freshmen Member Monroe McCoy

Junior High Mike Veak

Title Page by Darrell Crowdy

Without warning another year is gone. Each of us has memories of the year that linger. We of the 1957 Annual Staff have created this yearbook in hope that it will bring back memories which you will cherish. Our hope is

that in years to come, you will return to the 1957 Annual and smile a smile or two as familiar scenes and faces flash back. The annual staff has strived towards a goal to make this an Annual which will appreciated and treasured by all.

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#### STUDENT COUNCIL

This year the Student Council is working on the idea of having a Driver Rodeo. They are also considering the idea of having a school carnival. To make money they are selling book covers and fire extinguishers. They also sold pop corn at the sectional tournament.

Lynn Taylor, V. Pres., Nickie Christie, Sec., Vincent Ashmore, Treas., Don Williams, Pres.

Stanley Archer, Gary Brannan, Jim Germar, Ron Lewis, Vincent Ashmore, Mike Croxdale, Don Williams, Lynn Taylor, Mr. Laipple, Sponsor, Jane Sprague Nickie Christie, Jeanne Richey, Deloris Peterson, Pat Penwell, Dennis Christie, Darwin Lewis, Shirley Needham, Kathleen Neal, Betty Lou Neal, Sandy Garland, Nancy Felt

### YR1957PG033

### **FUTURE FARMERS of AMERICA**

### **OFFICERS**

Ron Cooper, Sentinal, Ron Walters, Reporter, Roger Poston, Reporter, LeRoy Buffon, Sentinal, Reno Smith, Sponsor, Lynn Taylor, Treas., Roger Selley, Sec., Ron Hart, V. Pres., Don Williams, Pres.

The Future Farmers of America Chapter was organized

in Villisca in 1938. The name of the chapter was changed to the Reno Smith Chapter of F.F.A. in 1955. Everyone in F.F.A. is kept busy. Some of the yearly events were; National Convention held at Kansas City, Parent-Son Banquet, hayride, field trips and the State

F.F.A. Convention held in Cedar Rapids .

The Reno Smith Chapter is rather unique in the respect

that it is one of the few chapters named after the advisor.

# YR1957PG034

HI-Y

The Hi-Y club this year has 33 regular members . We gave money to the world service and have a basketball team. At Christmas time we sold YMCA cookies to raise money for our treasury. This spring we plan to work as a group in helping get ready for track meets .

John Burton, Represtative, Roger Selley, Chaplin, Gary Taylor, Sec., Martin Pierson, Sponsor, Lynn Taylor, Pres., Cecil Wilcoxon, V. Pres., Don Williams, Treas., Ron Lewis, Representative

### YR1957PG035

# Y-TEENS

### Y-TEEN CABINET

Mrs. Vonnahme, Sponsor, Beverly Anson, Betty Lindell, Heather Wilhelm, Patty Doggett, Pres., Jean Richey, Pat Penwell, Peggy Hein, Carol Mack, Bernadine Hess, Connie Jamison, Sharon Frazee, Pat Bauer, Dolores Johnson, Sharon Finkle, LaVera Nippert Connie Hoyt, Elinor Hossman, Peggy Barr

The Y-Teens participated in many activities this year. They held a Father-Daughter Banquet, Mother-Daughter Tea, Freshman Initiation, Refreshment stands at football games, Christmas Seal Drive, Spring Co-Ed Conference, Sweetheart Swirl, Kiddy Party, Installation of Officers, sponsored Jacquelyn, and sent representatives to Girls State. Entertainment, business, and inspiration were conducted at each regular meeting.

### YR1957PG036

**NEWSPAPER STAFF** 

Janis Hedstrom, Pat Penwell, Editor; Ronnie Lewis, Cecil Wilcoxon, Don Wilcoxon, Don Williams, Business Manager; Miss Burrish, Sponsor; Heather Wilhelm, Janet Palmquist, Sharon Fisher, Peggy Barr, Sharon Frazee, Peggy Hein

JOURNALISM CLASS

Nickie Christie, Business Manager, Miss Burrish, Betty Lindell, Ann Stackhouse,

Karene Carlson, Alan Gidley, Editor, Judy Thorson, Jeanne Richey, Jeannette Hanson

The newspaper staff, consisting of last years journalism class, helps in the publishing of the Volcano during the first semester. The new journalism class writes the articles and also helps in the publishing so they can take over the second semester. The class and the staff put out the school paper which is printed monthly by the Villisca Review Office and the VHS secretarial class. This group also sold basketball programs at all home games this year.

### YR1957PG037

**DRAMATICS** 

**OFFICERS** 

Susie Hedstrom, Pres.

Sandy Penwell, V. Pres.

Janet Palmquist, Sec.-Treas.

The Dramatics Club has become a more active organization this year, under the guidance of Mrs. Adams, a newer member of the VHS faculty. The club sponsored several parties during the year and entered people in the state sponsored speech contests. Entries for the contest were a one act play entitled "Joan the Maid" and two individual contestants. Play cast members were Janis Hedstrom, Joanne Findley, LeRoy Buffon, Bill Victor, Jeanne Palmquist and Cecil Wilcoxon. Individual entries were Mary Lou McClelland, humorous declamation and Don Wilcoxon original oratory.

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### DRIVERS' CLUB

The Drivers' Club was organized and held its first meeting in November. Plans are being discussed about having a Teen Age Driving Rodeo in the spring. We are planning main speakers for our meetings and sitting in on Drivers' Club meetings of other schools. Many interesting activities are being planned for the year.

OFFICERS

Roger Poston, Treas., Karen Stuvick, Sec., Mr. Hanson, Sponsor, Jeanette Hanson, V. Pres., Bob Brown, Pres.

# YR1957PG039

### LIBRARIANS

Each girl in the Library Club had an active part in the Club this year. Two girls had charge of the library each period. They had charge of books, papers, and magazines taken from the library. A Christmas supper was held at the home of Miss Gardner, the sponsor, with the exchange of gifts.

**OFFICERS** 

Jeanette Hanson, V. Pres., Francis Smith, Social Chairman, Betty Neal, President, Bernadine Hess, Secretary

# YR1957PG042

### CONCERT BAND

The VHS band is made up of three divisions. Marching band, concert band, and pep band. The marching band performed between halves of all the home football games this year, and also marched in several parades. The concert band gave a winter concert and a spring concert. Pep band was a voluntary unit of the band, which played during the intermissions of the home basketball games. The band has a new type of organization this year, a committee headed by LeRoy Buffon, band president, drew up a constitution to govern the band and it's members. Other band officers were: Vice-president Janis Hedstrom, and Secretary-treasurer Connie Jamison.

### DRUM MAJOR AND MAJORETTES

Nancy Welsh, Jean Richey, Susie Hedstrom, Janet Higgins Darwin Williams, Drum Major

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### ENSEMBLES

LeRoy Buffon, Jim Sprague, Darwin Williams, Alan Gidley, Pat Penwell, Larry Bisbee Nancy Welsh, Shirley Asklof, Jean Palmquist, Pat Bauer

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MUSICAL ACTIVITIES

MIXED CHORUS

The high school choir was made up of sixty students selected by Miss Gail Drahota, vocal music instructor. A Thanksgiving and Christmas Concert were put on by this group. The entire chorus participated in a music festival at Shenandoah in January, and put on a musical production in April. Choir was held every Tuesday and Thursday for one period, with several girls acting as accompanists. A Boy's Glee Club, Girl's Glee Club and several small groups were also part of the vocal music department this year.

# **OFFICERS**

Janet Palmquist, Pres., Miss Drahota, Mike Croxdale, V. Pres., Alan Gidley, Promotion, Pat Penwell, Sec.-Treas.

### YR1957PG045

MADRIGAL

Dennis Christie, John Burton, Ed Ankeny, Judd Nordyke, Richard Gray, Mike Croxdale, Richard Johnson, Lynn Taylor, Alan Gidley, Dean Archer, Don Williams, Larry Neal; second row, Nickie Christie, Janis Hedstrom, Pat Bauer, Jean Palmquist, Connie Jamison, Lois Sprague, Heather Wilhelm, Sharon Fisher, Helen Schaffer, Janet Palmquist, Jean Richey, Sharon Frazee, Pat Penwell

BOYS' QUARTET Judd Nordyke Richard Gray John Burton Mike Croxdale GIRLS' QUARTET Pat Penwell Janet Palmquist Susie Hedstrom Sharon Frazee

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**GIRLS' GLEE CLUB** 

The Girls 'Glee Club is made up of approximately 80 members . Under the direction of Miss Gail Drahota, the glee club sang two numbers in the annual fall music concert and presented a concert with the Boys' Glee Club in February. Accompanists were Heather Wilhelm, Nickie Christie, Janet Palmquist, Pat Bauer, Pat Penwell, and Shirley Needham.

**BOYS' GLEE CLUB** 

The Boys' Glee Club was composed of 26 members. They were directed by Miss Gail Drahota. Accompanists were Pat Bauer and Jeannie Palmquist. Their activities included two numbers in the annual fall music concert, and a concert composed of the Boys' and Girls' Glee Clubs.

### YR1957PG048

janis hedstrom nickie christie janet palmquist sandra penwell

### YR1957PG049

homecoming queen patricia penwell

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ROYALTY SNAPSHOTS

### HOMECOMING QUEEN

Nickie Christie Janet Palmquist, Pat Penwell, Susie Hedstrom, Sandy Penwell

SNO BALL

Jim Sprague, Frances Smith

Pat Penwell

SWEETHEART SWIRL

Ron Lewis, Doris Cary

### YR1957PG052

Vince Ashmore RE Co-Captain Bob Brown RG Co-Captain

John Burton FB

"Bottomes-Up"

Ted Davies LT Co-Captain

Gary Germar HB

Bob Sierp RH

Bill McFarland LG

# YR1957PG053

Ron Cooper HB

Tom Ten Eyck LE

"Tally - Ho"

Jim Brannan QB Bill Brenton FB

Judd Nordyke C

Morris Stille All-SW Iowa RT All Conference RT

Larry Neal G

### YR1957PG054

FRONT ROW, Left to Right: B. Brown, T. Davies, V. Ashmore. MIDDLE ROW: L. Neal, A. Penwell, G. Germar, M. Croxdale, J. Nordyke, M. Magnuson, J. Brana n, M. Stille, F. Burns, T. TenEyck. LAST ROW: B. McFarland, M. Brannan, B. Sierp, J. Burton, B. Brenton, J. Germar, R. Northup, B. Carlson, R. Johnston, M. Barlow, F. Carmichael.

The Villisca Blue jays started the season with a 13-6 victory over Bedford. This was the first win for the Jays in two seasons. John Burton made the first tally for the Jays in the first period on a drive up the middle. Tom Ten Eyck took a 17 yard pass from Jim Branan late in the game for the last score of the game.

In the next contest the Jays held a strong Atlantic to only 12 points, but lost the game 12-0. This started a losing streak that lasted the rest of the season. The jays held a heavily favored Shenandoah team to only 8 points for three quarters, but fell down to lose by the score of 21-0. Villisca was held scoreless in the next three games as they lost to Glenwood 20-0, Corning 39-0, and Creston 35-0.

The Jays came back to make a strong showing against Red Oak. Villisca threatened several times, but scored only once as they lost a 7-6 decision. Morris Stille made the jays lone touchdown on a one yard drive. In the last game of the season, Villisca lost to Clarinda 18-0.

The jays were an inexperienced and young team. There were only three seniors on the team. They were Co-Captains Vince Ashmore, Bob Brown and Ted Davies. The team showed improvement through the season and they look for a better season next year.

### YR1957PG05

First Row: L to R--R. Cooper, D. Baker, D. Johnson, J. Burton, V. Ashmore, M. Stille, R. Lewis, B. Sierp, J. Branan,

J. Linn. Second Row: L to R--J. Smith, T. Smith, G. Germar, E. Ankeny, R. Selley, A. Hayes, R. Northrup, A. Penwell, J. Artlip, B. Brown.

Third Row: L to R--J. Sprague, D. Higgins, R. Johnston, M. Magnuson, M. McCoy, G. White, J. Germar, D. Christie, D. Lindell, D. Shepherd. JAYS

Opp. Jays

College Springs 42 40 Bedford 34 Braddyville 46 55 Coin 54 67 32 Atlantic 63 Clarinda 53 46 Bedford 75 60 Shenandoah 91 62 Tingley 65 78 Red Oak 68 73 40 Glenwood 81 50 Creston Corning 44 38 68 55 Atlantic Clarinda 64 57 Shenandoah 60 Red Oak 76 47 Glenwood 53 34 Creston 61 42 Corning Tournament 43 42 Red Oak 42 38

# YR1957PG056

**Bob Sierp** 

Sophomore Guard

John Burton

Sophomore Center

Ron Cooper Junior Forward

Morris Stille Junior Center

Fred Humphrey Coach

### YR1957PG057

Dick Johnson Junior Forward
David Baker Sophomore Guard
Captain Vince Ashmore Senior Center
Ron Lewis Senior Forward
Jim Branan Junior Guard

# YR1957PG058

# GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Pat Doggett Senior Forward

Bev Anson Senior Post Forward All-County Team Honorable Mention All Southwest Iowa Jeannie Richey Junior Forward All-County Team Honorable Mention All Southwest Iowa

### Marlene Sierp Freshman Forward

### YR1957PG059

Connie Wilhelm Sophomore Guard All-County Honorable Mention

Judy Wilhelm, Mascot

Heather Wilhelm Senior Post Guard All-County Team Honorable Mention All Southwest Iowa

Jean McFarland Junior Guard All-County Team

Captain Wanda Wheeler Senior Guard

### YR1957PG060

The Jayette Squad of 1956 - 1957

L to R--Joyce Miller, Linda Hayes, Sandra Gourley, Heather Wilhelm, Judy Wilhelm, Mascot, Connie Wilhelm, Pat Doggett, Janice Neal, 2nd Row, L to R--Bernice McFarland, Frances Brown, Wanda Wheeler, Jean McFarland, Jeanne Richey, Bev Anson, Marlene Sierp, Janet Means, Donna Hinkle, Carolyn Clayton, Ann Stackhouse, Manager

JAYETTES SCOREBOARD

**OPPONENTS JAYETTES** 

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Lenox 26 57

College Springs 33 42

Braddyville 47 82

Coin 53 62

Prescott 54 77

Hamburg 49 57 Elk Horn 62 80

Stennett 43 41

College Springs 44 61

Glenwood 28 62

Tingley 65 46

Riverton 54 53

Glenwood 29 34

Lenox 19 69

Carson 51 80

County Tournament

Coburg 39 72

Stennett 47 48

Sectional Tournament

Stanton 41 65

Stennett 48 54

District Tournament

Fontanelle 59 55

Arispe 51 53

TOTALS 984 1304

### YR1957PG061

RON LEWIS, SR.

Broad jump, 880

DAVID HANSON, SR. Sprints

VINCE ASHMORE, SR. Hurdles, High jump

BOB SIERP, SOPH. Pole Vault, Low Hurdles

RON- COOPER, JR. Broad Jump, 880

JOHN BURTON, SOPH. Sprints, Weights

DICK JOHNSON, JR. High Jump, Hurdles

#### YR1957PG062

TRACK TEAM

The third annual Blue jays Relays held at Villisca this year was a success.

The 1956 relays saw 42 schools and some 450 contestants enter. This made it the largest track meet in the state for "B" and "C" schools exclusive. It also ranks among the largest track meets of the state open to all schools.

This year saw the first time that any Missouri schools attended the relays. This helped make this years Blue Jay Relays a success.

There were seven track lettermen returning to the Blue jay squad this year. They are: Seniors--Ron Lewis,

Vince Ashmore, and David Hanson; Juniors--Ron Cooper and Dick Johnson; Sophomores--John Burton and Bob Sierp. Of these seven Vince Ashmore, Ron Cooper, and Dick Johnson won honors in the district meet last year and went to the state outdoor meet.

These lettermen aid Villisca's strength in the broad jump, hurdles, dashes, high jump, and half-mile, as well as several relay events.

### YR1957PG063

**VARSITY CHEERLEADERS** 

Dolores Johnson Sandy Penwell Nancy Felt Connie Jamison Janet Palmquist

Lois Sprague, Alternate

"B" SQUAD

Shirley Asklof Deloris Peterson Pam Poston Jeannie Hein Kathy Penwell

# YR1957PG066

EIGHTH GRADE

S. Archer President

H. Hedstrom Vice President

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R. Shepherd Treasurer

Sylvia Enarson, Principal

SEVENTH GRADE

# YR1957PG067

Boys Basket Ball Team coached by Mr. Cox

Girls Basket Ball Team coached by Mr. Argotsinger

CHEERLEADERS:

Janis Magnuson, Martha Ashmore, Janet Higgins, Nancy Carlson and Dorothy Ashmore.

HOMECOMING QUEEN AND ATTENDANTS

Nola Shipman, queen; Judy Parkhurst, Beverly Ankeny, Dianne Peterson, Jeanette Marvick and Patsy Clarke-. HOMECOMING DANCE

# YR1957PG068

JANITORS

"CAPPY" PATTERSON

"LES" BROWN

CAFETERIA WORKERS

Grace TenEyke, Lola Odson, Evadna Stackhouse

**BUS DRIVERS** 

L to R--John Frazee, Bus Manager, Floyd Marvick, Dale McAlpin, Joe Hinkle, Quincy Dunn, Jim Milligan, Les Focht, Fen Fisher, not shown, Glen Doan Donald Fisher

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**BLUE JAY** 

# YR1958PG002

With much admiration and respect for her unwavering loyalty and devotion to her work - - to student

activities and to those fortunate students who have been exposed to her wit, wisdom, and sincere attitude - - the annual staff dedicates the 1958 Blue Jay to

MRS. DORETTA YOUNGMAN

Dedication

# YR1958PG003

You and Fall

# YR1958PG004

NICKIE CHRISTIE HOMECOMING QUEEN

### YR1958PG005

# PAT BAUER

SANDY PENWELL HOMECOMING ATTENDANTS SANDY GARLAND MARCIA CARLSON

### YR1958PG006

Dennis Christie end Judd Nordyke center John Burton full back Tom TenEyck end Bob Carlson guard Bill McFarland guard

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Dave Baker half back
CO-CAPT. Ronnie Cooper half back
Alvin Penwell center
CO-CAPT. Morris Stille tackle
Larry Neal guard
Jim Branan quarter back
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C. Jamison, S. Asklof, D. Peterson, K. Penwell, S. Penwell

### YR1958PG009

PEP BAND

The Villisca BluejaY Marching Band had a very active year marching at half-times at our home games and participating in various contests and celebrations. They took part in Band Jamborees at Clarinda and Creston and in the State Marching Contest at Bedford. The band also marched in a parade which was held in Grant. MARCHING BAND

### YR1958PG010

**SNAPSHOTS** 

You and Winter

### YR1958PG012

GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM

BASKETBALL

FRONT ROW; L to R: Richey, Sierp, Mrs, Youngman, C. Wilhelm, J. Wilhelm (mascot), Coach Engelbert,

McFarland, Cary, Gourley

MIDDLE ROW; L to R: Muller, Guthrie, Burton, Poston, Burton, Clayton, Guss, Guss, Guss, Higgins BACK ROW; L

to R: Shipman, Jackson, Ashmore, Howell, Selby, Lynch, Currin

**DORIS CARY Senior Guard** 

JEANNIE RICHEY

Senior Forward Captain of All County Team SW Iowa Honorable Mention

JEAN MoFARLAND Senior Guard All County Team

# YR1958PG013

CONNIE WILHELM Junior Forward All County Honorable Mention MARLENE SIERP Sophomore Forward Winner of District Free Throw Contest SANDRA GOURLEY Sophomore Post Guard

ELAINE BURTON Freshman Guard

LEAINE BORTON Freshinan Guard

Seasons action in the Villisca forward and guard courts against Griswold. Villisca won 67-65.

CHAMPIONS

# YR1958PG014

Sectional champions

record

Won Lost

12 11

The Jayettes, with the.'

new coach, Mr. Engelbert,

completed a successful season by winning the Sectional Tournament. Their (record was unimpressive due to inexperience and sickness in the first of the season. The Jayettes have now gone to the District Tournament for three straight years.

Offensive Average-56 Defensive Average--54.

# YR1958PG015

PEP CLUB

2ND

TEAM CHEERLEADERS

L to R: Ashmore, Magnuson, Starlin, Carlson

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# HAWKEYE EIGHT

	Conference	All Games
ATLANTIC	13-1	17-2
RED OAK	10-4	12-6

CRESTON	9-5	11-8
SHENANDOAH	8-6	10-9
GLENWOOD	8-6	11-8
VILLISCA	4-10	9-10
CORNING	2-12	2-14
CLARINDA	2-12	2-14

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	G	FG	FT	FTM	Pct.	F	TP	GA	H8A
DAVE BAKER	20	377	7	W °T	Т	r7	79	17.9	776
BOB SIERP	19	101	65	47	.580	35	267	14.0	15.5
DAVE SHEPHERD	20	45	4.6	20	.697	67	136	6.8	7.1
JIM BRANAN	20	30	43	23	.651	56	103	5.2	4.1
DENNIS CHRISTIE	18	40	12	5	.706	12	92	5.1	5.3
DICK JOHNSON	20	16	18	14	.562	27	50	2.5	2.4
RUSS NORTHUP	3	2	2	1	.666	5	6	2.0	2.0
	9	5	3	3	.500	8	13	1.4	1.8
RON COOPER									
JOHN BURTON	6	2	1	2	.333	lo	5	0.	1.3
MORRIS STILLS	7	1	1	5	.166	5	3	0.4	0.7
AL HAYS	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0.0	0.0
ROGER SELLEY	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0.0	0.0
JIM GERMAR	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0.0	0.0

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**DENNIS CHRISTIE** 

**BOB SIERP** 

DAVE SHEPHERD

**DICK JOHNSON** 

DAVE BAKER

JIM BRANAN Captain

RON COOPER

### YR1958PG019

# **CONCERT BAND**

The winter presentation of the Bluejay Concert Band was held on February 6th, in the armory. The final concert of the year will be the Honors Concert, which will be given in the month of May.

DRUM MAJOR AND MAJORETTES

Welsh, Peterson, Veak, Richey, Higgins

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### YR1958PG020

snapshots

# YR1958PG021

You and Spring

MIXED CHORUS

MADRIGAL

FRONT ROW: L to R: Christie, Jamison, Hein, Burton, Freshour, Gray, Penwell, Palmquist, Bauer, Needham,

Burton, McClelland, Miller

BACK ROW: L to R: Neal, Nordyke, Ankeny, Gray, Sprague, Hays, Burton, Johnston, Veak, Gidley, Peterson,

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### YR1958PG023

BOYS' GLEE CLUB

GIRLS 'GLEE CLUB

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### YR1958PG024

TRACK LETTERMEN

RON COOPER (CO-CAPT.) Relays, 880 run, Broad Jump RICHARD JOHNSON (CO-CAPT.) Hurdles, High Jump John Burton Shot, Sprints, Relays

Gary Germar Relays, Sprints, Pole Vault

Glenn Archer Discus, 440 dash

Allen Hays Distances, Relay

### YR1958PG025

This year the Blue Jay squad participated in the State Indoor Track Meet at Iowa City which they have done in the past. Besides the other local meets, those who qualified in the district meet went to Ames for the State Out Door Track Meet. Another thrilling track meet was the Drake Relays at Des Moines. In this track meet only the better track and field events in the state were qualified to participate.

This year saw eight returning track lettermen to the Blue Jay squad. They are: Seniors--Ron Cooper, Dick Johnson, Allen Hays, Glenn Archer, and Gary Germar; Juniors--John Burton. Ones not there when picture was taken: Bob Sierp and David Baker.

These lettermen will strengthen Villisca in the broad jump, high jump, hurdles, dashes, half-mile, pole vault, and discus, as well as in several relay events.

"up and over"

# YR1958PG026

IN

SENIOR class play

"A CONNECTICUT YANKEE

KING ARTHUR'S COURT"

BY John G. Fuller

CHARACTERS:

Hank Bennett. . Richard Johnson

MarionJeannie Richey

Mrs. Bennett. . Betty Lindell

King Arthur . Alvin Penwell

Queen Guonever. Judy Thorson

Merlin Larry Neal

Sir-Sagrmnor... Mike Croxdale

Clarence Pat Bauer Elaine Sandy Penwell

Sir Launcelot . Judd Nordyke

Morgan Le-Fay . Nickie Christie

Sandy Nancy Welsh

### YR1958PG027

JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM **SWEETHEART SWIRL** 

### YR1958PG028

**SNAPSHOTS** 

### YR1958PG029

You and Your Activities

# YR1958PG030

Y-TEENS

**OFFICERS** 

FRONT ROW; L to R: Asklof, Jamison, Needham, Richey, Bauer, McCullough, Lines

BACK ROW; L to R: Mrs. Mason, Sponsor, Baker, Weaver, Lindell, Peterson, Hein, Sierp, Thorson, Christie,

Hanson, Penwell

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HI-Y

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**NEWSPAPER STAFF** 

**TEEN HAVEN COUNCIL** 

FRONT ROW; L to R: McFarland, Richey, Braman, Shepherd, Asklof, Christie

BACK ROW; L to R: Carlson, McFarland, Northup, Moser, Higgins

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LIBRARIANS

FRONT ROW; L to R: Hein, Neal, Schaffer, Miller, Hess, Brown, Hanson, McCullough

BACK ROW; L to R: Miss Gardner, Neal, French, Jamison, Peterson, Asklof, Clayton, Sierp, Garland, Wilcoxon

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DRAMATICS CLUB

CONTEST PLAY

STUDENT COUNCIL

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You and Your Faculty

### YR1958PG038

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State Teachers College

Masters-Drake

Graduate Work-State Teachers College

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Vocational Agriculture

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**BETTY SUE PEMBER Commercial** 

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Physical Education and Health

ARLENE BEAVERS English

**DUANE JOHNSON Instrumental Music** 

### YR1958PG040

WARREN RICHARDS Science

CORRELA N. MASON Homemaking

RICHARD SMITHSON Vocal Music

JACKIE ADAMS

**English and Dramatics** 

French and Art

CLYDE MOORE

Vocational Agriculture

LILA GARDNER

Librarian and Study Hall

# YR1958PG041

MAX GARRETT Industrial Arts Psychology Drivers Training

DORETTA YOUNGMAN

Social Studies and Physical Education

JOE TAPSCOTT Mathematics

IRENE STACKHOUSE Office Secretary

PAUL WALL JASPER Social Studies

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You and Your Classmates

#### YR1958PG044

RICHARD JOHNSON

Basketball 1-4; Track 1-4; Boys Glee Club 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Boys Quartet 2; Madrigal 2-4; Hi-Y 4; FFA 1-4; FFA Officer 4; Class Play 3

BETTY LINDELL

Basketball 2; Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 4; Pep Club 1-4; Pep Club Officer 4; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teens Cabinet 2,4; Class Officer 4; Librarian 2-4;\_ Librarian Officer 4; Dramatics Club 2,4; Speech 4; One Act Play 4; Volcano Staff 3,10 Drivers Club 3; Principal's Secretary 4

RICHARD ZELLMER

**DORIS CARY** 

Transfered; Pep Club 2,4; Basketball 4; Girls Glee Club 4; Chorus 4; Y-Teens 4; Librarians Club 2,3; Principals Secretary 4; Annual Staff 4; Dramatics Club 2,3

# YR1958PG045

MARTIN HENDRIX

Track 2; Class Play 3

PAT ERICKSON

Basketball 2; Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 4; Y-Teens 1-4;

GARY GERMAR

(Transferred) Football 3; Clasa Offi-

cer 3; Class Play 3

JOANNE FINDLEY

# YR1958PG046

JUDY THORSON

Girls Glee Club 2; Chorus 4; Pep Club 2; Y-Teens 1-4; Librarian 2-4; Dramatics Club 2; Annual Staff 4; Volcano Staff 3,4; Principal's Secretary 4; Y-Teen Cabinet 4

LARRY KUHN

Class Play 3 (Transferred)

MIKE CROXDALE

Football Manager 2; Football 3; Basketball 1; Basketball Manager 2; Baseball 1; Track 1,2; Boys Glee 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Chorus Officer 3; Vocal Group 1-4; Hi-Y 1,4; Sololist 3; All State 1,3; Student Council 2,3; Student Council Officer 2; Class Officer 3; Annual Staff 4; Volcano Staff 4

CAROL MACK

Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 1,4; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 2,3

# YR1958PG047

NANCY WELSH

Marching Band 2-4; Concert Band 2-4; Pep Band 2-4; Girls Glee Club 2-4; Chorus 4; Instrumental Group 3,4; Creston Band Festival 3,4; Band Officer 2; Majorette 2-4; Y-Teens 2-4; Class Officer 2; Dramatics 3; Class Play 3,4

MERL McKINLEY

Football Manager 3-4; Basketball 1; Track Manager 2-4; Boys Glee 1-2; Hi-Y 1-4; Class Play 3

BERNADINE HESS

Girls Glee Club 1-4; Chorus 4; Pep Club 1,2,4; Y-Teens 1-4; Librarian 2-4; Librarian Officer 3

TED PETERSON

Track 2-4; Hi-Y 1; FFA 1

#### YR1958PG048

JEANETTE HANSON

Basketball 1,2; Girls Glee 1-4; Chor 4; Drivers Club 3; Drivers Club Officerus 3; Pep Club 2,4; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-

Teens Cabinet 4; Student Council 1; Class Officer 4; Librarian 2,4; Librarian Officer 3,4; Dramatics 1,4;

Dramatics Officer 4

Class Play 3; One Act Play 4; Volcano Staff 3,4

BILL SCOTT

Class Play 3

JOAN SMITH Y-Teens 1-4

JUDD NORDYKE

Football 1-4; Football Manager 2; Track 1,2; Track Manager 2; Basketball Manager 2; Boys Glee 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Vocal Group 3; Madrigal 3,4; Hi-Y 1-4; Class Play 3; Dramatics 1,3

### YR1958PG049

MAX MAGNUSON

Football 1-4; Basketball 1-3; Track 1-3; Boys Glee 1-4; Chorus 1-4; FFA 4

LINDA LINES

Basketball 1,2; Girls Glee Club 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Vocal Group 3; Pep Club 1,2,4; Y-Teens 1-4; Dramatics Club

1,3,4; Class Play 3; One Act Play 1; Y-Teen Cabinet 4; Principals Secretary 4; Drivers Club 3  $\,$ 

**GARY WHITE** 

Basketball 2,3; Basketball Manager 3;

Track 1-3; Track Manager 3; Pep Club

1,2; Hi-Y 1,4; FFA 1,4; Class Play 3

MARY LEE

Girls Glee Club 4; Chorus 4; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teens Cabinet Member 4

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### SANDY PENWELL

Cheerleader 1-4; Girls Glee Club 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Triple Trio 2,3; Pep Club 1-4; Y-Teens 1-4; Y-Teens Cabinet 4;

Drivers Club 3; Class Officer 2; Dramatics 1-4; Dramatics Officer 3,4; Class Plmy3,4; One Act Play 3,4; Annual

Staff 4; Carnival Queen attendant 1; Homecoming Attendant 3,4; Band queen

LARRY NEA

Football 1, 4; Basketball 1; Track 1,3; Boys Glee Club 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Vocal Group 3,4; Hi-Y 1,4; FFA 1-4;

Student Council 2; Class Play 3

KARENE CARLSON

Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 1,2,4; Pep Club 1; Y-Teens 1-4; Student Council 4;

Librarian 3; Volcano Staff 3,4; Principal's Secretary 4

MORRIS STILLE

Football 1-4; Basketball 1-4; Track 1-4; BoysGlee Club 1-4; Chorus 2-4; Hi-Y 1, 2,4; FFA 1-4; Class Officer 2; All

Conference Football 2-4; All-Southwest Football 3,4; Honorable Mention for All-State Football 3,4; Senior

Dance King 4

#### YR1958PG051

RON HART

Football 2; Track 2; Pep Club 1; Hi-Y 1; FFA 1-4; FFA Officer 2-4; Class Officer 3

NITA BROWN

Basketball Manager 4; Girls Glee 1-3; Pep Club 2,3; Y-Teens 1-4; Librarian 2-4; Dramatics 2; Class Play 3

**SHARON GRAY** 

Basketball 1,2; Girls Glee 1-4; Vocal Group 4; Chorus 1-4; Y-Teens 1-4; Dramatics 1

**EDDIE ANKENY** 

Football Manager 3, Basketball 2,3; Track 2-4; Boys Glee 1-4; Chorus 2-4; Ri-Y 2,4; Class Play 3

# YR1958PG052

JIM BRANAN

Football 1-4; Basketball 1-4; Baseball 1; Track 1-3; Boys Glee 3; Hi-Y 1,2,4; Class Officer 2,3; Teen Haven

Council 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Basketball captain 4; Teen Haven Council Officer 3,4

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Officer 4; Class Officer 4; Annual Staff h; Junior Candidate Y-Teen Dance

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Hi-Y 1,2,4; FFA 1,2; Student Council V0.5, 4; Class Play 3

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**FOREWORD** 

This is the first "forward" to appear in a Villisca High School Annual. I am proud I was asked to write it. The BLUEJAY this year contains many evidences of the changes which have taken place since the effective date of the first Villisca Community School District. These changes have taken place simultaneously with social, scientific and governmental changes of international importance. I believe local changes such as have taken place in our school system are often a reflection in peoples minds of international or national developments. The world will continue to influence and cause changes wherever people are alert to cowing needs. Each student who learns this lesson early can help bring these changes about in a peaceful manner beneficial to all men. May we all continue to serve this important function.

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ROGER POSTON Basketball 1; Track L,2; Boys Glee 1; Hi-Y 2,3; F.F.A. 1-4; Class Play 3

JUNE GUSS Basketball 1,3,4; Chorus 3,4; Girls Glee 1-4; Y-Teens

JOAN GUSS Basketball 1,3,4; Chorus 3,4; Girls

Glee 1-4; Y-Teens 1-4; Annual 4; Band Queen Candidate 4; Homecoming Queen 4; Band Jamboree Queen DAVID SHEPHERD Football 1,3,4; Track 3,4; Basketball 1-4; Baseball 3,4; Boys Glee 1-3; Chorus 1-3; Soloist 2; Hi-Y 2-4; Vice President 4; Class Treasurer 1; Class Vice President 4; Dramatics 2,3; Class Play 3; Speech 4; One Act Play 4: Annual 4

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F.F.A. 1,2,4

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JOHN BURTON Football 1-4; Basketball 1-4; Track 1-4; Boys Glee 1-3; Vocal Group 1-3; All State Chorus 1-4; Hi-Y 14: Hi-Y Officer 3.4: All Conference Football 4

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DAVID BAKER Football 3.4: Basketball 1-4: Track 1-4: Boys Glee Club 1: Dramatics 4: Speech 4

SHIRLEY ASKLOF Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Pep Band 1,2; Girls Glee Club 1,2; Instrumental Group 2,3,4; Pep Club 1, 3,4; Y-Teens 1-4; Cabinet 3; Student Council 1,3,4; Class Officer 3,4; Librarian 2,3,4; Dramatics 1,2; One Act Play 2; Annual Staff 4; Volcano 3,4; Editor 4

SANDRA CARTWRIGHT Pep Club 3,4; Y-Teens 1-4

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3,4; Accompanist 1; Soloist 1,4; One Act Play 1; Speech 1-3; Dramatics 1-4; Class Play 3 HARLEY SPERRY Basketball 1; Hi-Y 1-4; F.F.A. 1-4; Class Treasurer 3; Class Play 3; Annual 4 DONNA HINKLE Basketball 1,2; Girls Glee 1-3; Chorus 2; Y-Teens 1-4; Class Play 3; Office Secretary 4 SAUNDRA OLSON Girls Glee 1; Chorus 1,3; Pep Club 3; Y-Teens 1-4 MAURICE BRANNAN Football 1-4; Track 1-4; Baseball 3; Boys Glee 1; Hi-Y 3,4; F.F.A. 1-4 DELORIS PETERSON Marching Band 3,4; Girls Glee 1,2; Pep Club 1,3,4; Y-Teens 1-4; Cabinet 3,4;

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Student Council 2; Librarian 2-4; One Act Play 1; Class Play 3; Dramatics 1-4; Vice President 4; Annual 2; Office Secretary 4; Cheerleader

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LINDA FRENCH Chorus 1-3; Vocal Group 3,4; Girls Glee 1-3; Student Council 2; Y-Teens 1-4; Cabinet 4; Drivers Club 2: Librarians 2-4: Dramatics 4: Speech 4

SHARON FINKLE Girls Glee 1,2,4; Pep Club 3; Y-Teens 1-4; Cabinet 2

BEVERLY WEBSTER Chorus 1; Girls Glee 1,2,4; Pep Club 3; Y-Teens 1-4

HELEN SCHAFFER Chorus 1-3; Soloist 1 Girls Glee 1-3; Vocal Group 1,2; Y-Teens 1-4 Cabinet 3,4; Class Officer 1; Librarian 2-4; Social Chairman 3,4; Dramatics 4; One Act Play 4; Office Secretary 4

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Track 1; Boys Glee 1,2; F.F.A. 1,2

BILL McFARLAND Football 1-4; Track 1-3; Basketball 1,2; Boys Glee 1,2; Hi-Y 1-3; F.F.A. 1-4 JUDY GEER Girls Glee 3; Y-Teens 1-4

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SECOND ROW: N. Brown, B. Kemery, L. Bisbee, G. Cooney, R. Gray, J. Hein, P. Clark::

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FIRST ROW: J. Jackson, N. Shipman, S. Gridley, S. Garland,

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### CHORUS

FIRST ROW: J. Higgins, N. Carlson, M. Ashmore, L. Gourley, K. Jamison, F. Gourley, C. Peterson, K. Starlin, E. Burton, C. Jamison SECOND ROW: D. Peterson, S. Gridley, G. Freshour, J. Magnuson, J. Robinson, V. Peterson, J. Posten, M. Barlow, H. Weiner, J. Muller, J. Guss, D. Baker, J. Palmquist, K. Penwell THIRD ROW: J. Miller, C. Howell, M. McClelland, D. Ashmore, P. Poston, D. Higgins, R. Gray, J. Artlip, M. Veak, J. Smith, L. Moser, S. Gourley, S. Guthrie, J. Guss

MADRIGAL

FIRST ROW: K. Penwell, J. Palmquist, G. Freshour, J. Miller, M. McClelland, E. Burton SECOND ROW: C. Jamison, F. Gourley, V. Peterson, R. Gray, M. Veak, J. Smith, E. Burton

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**BOYS' GLEE CLUB** 

FIRST ROW: L. Gourley, C. Peterson, F. Gourley, SECOND ROW: J. Smith, M. Barlow, V. Peterson, K. Jamison THIRD ROW: H. Weiner, D. Higgins, J. Artlip, M. Veak, R. Gray

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MARCIA CARLSON

MARLENE SIERP

KATHIE PENWELL

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**CHEERLEADERS** 

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GIRLS'

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SPORTS

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**SENIORS** 

JOHN BURTON Sr. Tackle All-conference

BILL McFARLAND Sr. Tackle Captain

BOB SIERP Sr. Tailback All-conference

**BLUEJAY LINEMAN** 

MAURICE BRANNAN Sr. Guard

DAVE BAKER Sr. Halfback

ROGER SELLEY Sr. End'

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### FOOTBALL TEAM

Left to Right: Front row-Jim Germer, Fred Carmichael, Monroe McCoy, Larry Wheeler, Dennis Christie, Dave Baker, Bill McFarland, Mickey Barlow, Gary Crowdy Back row-Coach-Joe Tapscott, Bob Strickland, Don Burns, Maurice Brannan, Ron Johnston, Larry Lines, Russell Northup, Bob Carlson, Bob Sierp, John Burton, Gary Smith BLUEJAY BACKFIELD and COACH, JOE TAPSCOTT

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UNDERCLASSMEN

LARRY WHEELER Jr. Halfback

BILL BRENTON Jr. Guard

MICKEY BARLOW Jr. End

RUSSELL NORTHUP Jr. End

BOB CARLSON Jr. Guard

LARRY LINES Soph. Center

RON JOHNSTON Jr. Guard

DENNIS CHRISTIE Jr. Quarterback

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BASKETBALL TEAMS

1958-1959 BASKETBALL RESULTS:

		(18 WINS	7 LOSSES)	7 LOSSES)			
Braddyville	26	Villisca 64	Shenandoah 42		Villisca	63	
Sidney	39	Villisca 61	Glenwood	31	Villisca	66	
Bedford	60	Villisca 46	Atlantic	68	Villisca	41	
Elk Horn	46	Villisca 45	Clarinda	59	Villisca	76	
Essex	52	Villisca 74	Corning	62	Villisca	61	
Red Oak	48	Villisca 43	SECTIONAL	SECTIONAL			
Creston	37	Villisca 34	Cumberland	Cumberland 24		62	
Shenandoah	47	Villisca 61	Corning	48	Villisca	65	
Glenwood	42	Villisca 64	Red Oak	31	Villisca	44	
Atlantic	52	Villisca 64	Tabor	50	Villisca	59	
Clarinda	62	Villisca 76	DISTRICT		•		
Corning	47	Villisca 61	Bedford	Bedford 47 Villisca 53			
Red Oak	44	Villisca 57	Manning	Manning 55 Villisca 53			
Creston	62	Villisca 65	(2 overtimes)				

# SEASON'S RECORDS

Player	Field Goals		als	Free T	hrows	Total Avg HE-8 HE-8					
	G	M A	١	Pct	M	Α	Pct Point	ts Scor S	cor Avg		
Baker	25	158	474	.333	60	117	.513	376	15.0	202	14.4
Christie	25	144	361	.396	46	67	.686	334	13.2	186	13.2
Sierp	20	77	170	.412	60	95	.632	214	10.7	161	11.5
Northup	25	77	160	.481	66	108	.611	220	8.8	122	8.1
Shepherd	25	72	176	.409	63	84	.750	207	8.3	111	7.9
Burton	22	9	19	.474	10	26	.373	28	1.3	13	1.0
Selley	16	8	24	.333	8	12	.666	24	1.5	11	1.2
Higgins	15	8	42	.193	4	8	.500	20	1.3	8	0.9
Shepherd	6	2	8	.250	1	2	.500	5	0.3	3	1.5
Smith	11	1	11	.090	2	7	.285	4	0.3	0	0.0
Branan	4	1	5	.200	0	0	.000	2	0.5	0	0.0
Johnston	4	1	4	.250	0	1	.000	2	0.5	0	0.0
Team Tota	l	563	1488	.378	.332	2 552	.601	1458	58.3	832	59.4

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JOHN BURTON Senior RUSS NORTHUP Junior DENNIS CHRISTIE 2nd Team All-Conf. Junior ROGER SELLEY Senior Sponsored by Andrew's Clothing

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LEFT TO RIGHT: D. Christie, D. Shepherd, J. Burton, R. Northup, R. Selley, B. Sierp, D. Baker, Mr. Walljasper, Coach

BOB SIERP Co-Captain All-Conf. Senior DAVE SHEPHERD Co-Captain Senior DAVE BAKER Co-Captain All-Conf. Senior Sponsored by

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#### YR1959PG050

FIRST ROW: J. Higgins, J. Guss, E. Burton, D. Ashmore, P. Posten, C. Wilhelm, J. Muller, E. Burton, M. Sierp, J. Guss SECOND ROW: Mr. Englebert, Coach, S. Gourley, J. Templeton, N. Patterson, C. Stallings, J. Marvick, M. Lynch, K. Selby, C. Howell, Mr.:. Youngman, Sponsor THIRD ROW: Sharon Guthrie, Manager, S. Purvis, M. McFarland, J. Parkurst, E. Moritz, P. Peterson, B. Selby, V. Oliver, M. Derry

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GAMES	VILLI	SCA C	PPONE	NTS GAME	S	VILLISCA OPPONEN	ITS
Braddyville	49	37					
Sidney	48	44					
Walnut	55	57					
Elkhorn	46	47					
Stanton	43	63					
Essex	68	38					
Prescott	40	56					
Nodaway	54	59					
Glenwood	62	49		_			
Alumni	68		69				
Griswold	53		74				
Stanton	38		85				
Lenox	75		72				
Coburg	76		86				
Nodaway	84		78				
Glenwood	77		55				
Lenox	53		61				
Griswold	38		84				

The Jayettes ended their season this year with a record of 7 wins and 11 losses. The defensive court was shared among four guards; June Guss, Sandy Gourley, Evelyn Burton and Elaine Burton, who held the opponents to an average of 60 points per game. Forwards for the Jayettes this year were Marlene Sierp with an average of 27.3 points per game, Connie Wilhelm with an average of 19.4 points per game and Joan Guss with a 10.9 average per game. Girls who saw limited action were; Janet Higgins, Dorothy Ashmore, Carolyn Howell, Judy Muller, Judy Guthrie and Pam Posten. The Jayettes were beaten out of Consolation in the County Tournament, by Nodaway, to end their basketball season for 1958-59.

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CONNIE WILHELM	JUNE GUSS Senior	Sandy Gourley	MARLENE SIERP
Senior		Junior	Junior

**ELAINE BURTON Sophomore** 

JOAN GUSS Senior

**EVELYN BURTON Sophomore** 

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### YR1959PG052

TRACK TEAM

MEDLEY RELAY Dave Baker, John Button, Bob Sierp and Jim Germer

RETURNING LETTERMEN FIRST ROW: Larry Wheeler, Monroe McCoy, Bob Carlson, John Burton

SECOND ROW: Bob Sierp, Jim Germar, Fred Carmichael, Dave Baker, Coach Englebert

The Bluejays have eight returning lettermen and will participate

in the ten following meets:

State Indoor

Tarkio Relays

Creston Relays

Cardinal Relays

**Griswold Relays** 

Bluejay Relays

Hawkeye Eight Meet

Mustang Relays

State District

State Outdoor

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JUNIOR HIGH

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EIGHTH GRADE

FIRST ROW: C. Gourley, B. Moore, E. Sunderman, L. Frazee, P. Shrimpton, L. Raines, C. Means, P. Clarke, M. Sparks, R. Carlson, J. Gourley, T. Cooper SECOND ROW: Miss Penton, Sponsor, J. Schaffer, C. Maher, S. Baker, J. Neal, D, Wheeler, L. Johnson, D. Heuer, L. Schwartz, J. Greenfield,

C. McKinley, B. Ten Eyck, M. Hinkle, M. Cerven, B. Ankeny, J. Arterburn THIRD ROW: M. Peterson, R. Smith, R. Chaney, D. Almquist, R. Briggs, D. Gunderman, K. Veak, R. Hanson, M. Peterson, R. Carlson, E. Lynch, R. Maxell, S. Jackson, Mrs. Youngman, Sponsor FOURTH ROW: M. Means, C. Johnson, A Ashmore, T. Sprague, B. Wills, P. Lynam, J. Reside, M. Lynam, P. Garland, P. Webster, R. Peterson, R. Brown, N. Larson, M. Rusk SEVENTH GRADE

FIRST ROW: M. Palmquist, B. Lewis, P. Fryer, P. Neal, K. Jamison, L. Branan, S. Means, S. Madden, L. Liljedahl, L. Schaffer SECOND ROW: L. Bickert, J. Jackson, K. Means, J. Brannan, D. Cozad, S. Jackson, S. Currin, J. Zellmer, D. White, P. Riggle, D. Kernen, D. Means THIRD ROW: Mr. Nelson, Sponsor, D. Schrader, R. Lewis, M. Bisbee, L. Newburg, C. Phillis, C. Schooley, V. Graham, S. Selley, K. Enarson, M. Bryson, R. Johnson, L. Odson, M. Bisbee,

C. Dunn, Mr. Hayden, Sponsor FOURTH ROW: D. Derry, T. Purvis, P. Barlow, N. Zellmer, A. Johnson, T. Haley, J. Kay, C. Wertman, C. Nordyke, B. Bengston, B. Dunn, M. Govig, O. Birch, D. Carlson, D. Peterson Sponsored by Danielson Implement

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SIXTH GRADE

FIRST ROW: V. Blank, D. Sunderman, D. Lewis, D. Roberts, K. Miller, B. Baker, B. Hendry, C. Fryer, B. Templeton, D. Scott, K. Cooper.

SECOND ROW: D. Chaney, D. Baker, D. Hull, D. Sprague, M. Clayton, R. Hausen, N. Webber, S. Warner, C. Rupp, S. Laire, B. Kuhn, S. Clarke, M. Boggess, C. Shepherd, R. Olson. THIRD ROW: Mrs. Carter, Sponsor, J. Zellmer, L. Russell, B. Wagaman, L. Brown, M. Winther, J. Dunn, B. Units, R. Akers, V. Boyer, L. Bangston, D. Templeton, C. Dresser, J. Parkhurst, C. Skidmore, Miss Wisdom, Sponsor.

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JUNIOR HIGH BAND

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The "BLUEJAY" is here and we are POOPED!!

The BLUEJAY Staff

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**Dedication In Memoriam** 

FRED WESLEY CARMICHAEL

1942 - 1959

The 1960 Bluejay is dedicated to the memory of Fred Wesley Carmichael. Fred, as a quiet and thoughtful student, earned the respect of all who knew him.

One of Fred's main interests was sports. He was active in football, track, and baseball. For his participation he was awarded two varsity letters in both football and track.

Fred's enthusiasm for sports was shown by his efforts in forming a local baseball team.

He was also student manager for the basketball team for two years. His popularity and leadership abilities were shown by his being elected president of his sophomore class.

For our friend,"who, by the grace of God, has the privilege of being a boy throughout Eternity,")we dedicate this volume.

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1959 Junior-Senior Banquet Scenes

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Senior Activities

JIM ARTLIP Basketball 1-4, Track 1-4, Boys' Glee 1,2,3, Vocal Group 3,4, Instrumental 2,3,4, Band 1-4, Hi-Y 1, Class Officer 2, Drama 3,4, Volcano Staff 3,4, Chorus 1,2,3, Science Club 4, Band Letterman 2,3, National Thespian Society 4.

CONNIE BAKER (transferred) Basketball 1,2, Y-Teens 1,2,3, Class Play 3. DOROTHY BAKER Girls' Glee 2,3,4, Y-Teens 1-4, Chorus 3,4.

MICK BARLOW Football 1-4, Track 1-4, Boys' Glee 1-4, Vocal Group 4, Concert Band 1-4, Hi-Y 1-4, Class Officer 1, FFA 1, Volcano Staff 3,4, Student Council 4, Chorus 1-4, Teen Haven Council Officer 4, Football Letterman 2,3,4, FFA Shield 1, FFA Creed Speaking Gold 1.

ROBERT BRANNAN Boys' Glee 4, Instrumental Group 3,4, Band 1-4, FFA 1,2, Chorus 4.

BILL BRENTON Football 1-4, Track 1,2, FFA 1-4, Student Council 1,2.

ELAINE BRIGGS Girls' Glee 4, Y-Teens 1-4, Officer 4, Librarians 3,4, Girls' Basketball Manager 3,4.

BOB CARLSON Football 1-4, Track 1-4, Hi-Y 1-4, Class Officer 2,3,4, FFA 1-4, Annual Staff 4, Hi-Y Officer 3,4, FFA Officer 2,3,4.

DALE CARMICHEAL Basketball 2, Track 1-4, Boys' Glee 1,2,4, FFA 1,2,3, Chorus 1,2,4, Vocal Group 4, Football Manager 1.

DENNIS CHRISTIE Football 1-4, Basketball 1-4, Boys' Glee 1,2, Vocal Group 1, Hi-Y 1-4, Class Officer 3,4, Annual Staff 3,4, Volcano Staff 3,4, Student Council 1,3,4, Chorus 1,2, Student Council Officer 4, Hi-Y Officer 3,4, Southwest Iowa District Student Council Pres. 4, Annual Co-editor 4, Teen Haven Council 3, Football Letterman 2,3,4, Basket-Ball letter man 2,3,4, Track 1,2.

CAROLYN CLAYTON Basketball 1,2, Girls' Glee 1,2, Vocal Group 2, Y-Teen 1-4 Class Officer 2, Drama 3,4, Volcano Staff 3,4, Librarians 2,3, Office Sec'y 4, Student Council 3,4, Chorus 1,2, Y-Teen Officer 2,3, Drama Club Officer 4.

GARY CROWDY FFA 1,2.

JUDY CORE Girls' Glee 1,2,4, Y-Teens 1-4, Office Sec'y 4, Chorus 4, Girls' Basketball 1.

JIM FINDLEY Football 2, Basketball 1, Boys' Glee 1,2,3, Hi-Y 1,2,3, FFA 4, Chorus 1,2,3, Track Manager 2. GUILA FISHER Band 2,3,4, Y-Teens 1-4.

JIM GERMAR Football 1-4, Basketball 2,4, Track 1-4, Class Officer 1, Class play 4, Student Council 1. SANDRA GOURLEY Basketball 1-4, Girls' Glee 1,2,3, Vocal Group 1,2,

Y-Teen 1-4, Drama Club 4, Annual Staff 4, Volcano Staff 3,4, Office Sec'y 4, Chorus 1,2,3, Y-Teen Cabinet 3, Teen Haven Council Officer 4.

BOB GREENFIELD Hi-Y 3.4. FFA 1.4.

DAVID HIGGINS Football 2, Basketball 1-4, Track 1,4, Vocal Group 3 Hi-Y 1,2,3, Class Play 3, Chorus 3,4, Teen Haven Council 2,3, Tyrods Officer 4.

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CAROLYN HOWELL Basketball 2,3,4, Girls' Glee 1-4, Vocal Group 1,2, Y-Teen 1-4, Class Play 3, Volcano Staff 3,4, Librarians 3,4, Chorus 1-4, Y-Teen Cab-net 3.

CLYDE JOHNSON FFA 1-4, Class Play 3, FFA Officer 4.

DOROTHY JOHNSON Girls' Glee 1-4, Vocal Group 4, Y-Teen 3,4, Drama Club 4, Pep Club 2, Annual Staff 4, Chorus 3,4, Y-Teen Cabinet 4, Class Play Usher 3, Homecoming Queen 4.

RONALD JOHNSTON Football 1-4, Basketball 1-4, Track 1,2, Hi-Y 1, FFA 1, Annual Staff 4, Volcano Staff 3,4.

GARY KING Basketball Manager and Statistician 2,3,4, FFA 1, Annual Staff 4, Volcano Staff 3,4, Volcano Business Manager 4

KEITH LARSON (transferred) Basketball 2, Drama 3, Librarians 1,2, Chorus 3.

MONROE MCCOY Football 2,3, Basketball 1,2, Track 1,2,3, Hi-Y 1, FFA 1-4, Class Plly 3, Annual Staff 1, Student Council 3, FFA Officer 4.

JOE McKEE FFA 1-4, Basketball 2, Hi-Y 1-4.

LYLE NEAL Football 4, Track 1, FFA 1-4, Student Council 4, FFA Officer 4.

SHIRLEY NEEDHAM Girls' Glee 1,2,4, Instrumental 1-4, Band 1-4, Vocal Group 1-4 Y-Teen 1-4, Class Officer 3, Drama 3,4, Annual Staff 4, Volcano Staff 3,4, Officer Sec'y 4, Student Council 2, Chorus 1,2,4, Band Officer 4, Y-Teen Officer 3, Y-Teen Cabinet 3, FFA Sweetheart 4.

BUSS NOATHUP Football 1-4, Basketball 1-4, Track 1-4, Boys' Glee 2,4, Vocal Group 4, Hi-Y 1-4, Class Officer 4, Drama Club 4, Class Play 3, Annual Staff 4, Student Council 4, Student Council Officer 4, Chorus 2, Hi-Y Chaplin 4, Football Letterman, Basketball Letterman.

JANICE ODSON Y-Teen 1-4.

JEANNE PALMQUIST Girls' Glee 1-4, Vocal Croup 1-4, Instrumental 1-4, Band 1-4, Y-Teen 1-4, Brama Club 1-4, Class Play 3, Volcano Staff 3,4, Student Council 4, Chorus 1-4, National Thespian Society 3,4, Drama Officer 4, Pep club 2, Volcano Staff Editor 4, State Speech Contest 1,2,3.

KATHIE PENWELL Girls' Glee 1-4, Vocal Group 1-4, Instrumental 1-4, Band 1,2, Band Council 2, Y-Teen 1-4, Y-Teen Officer 3, Class Officer 1,3,4, Drama Club 4, Class Play 3, Annual Staff 3,4, Annual CO-editor 4, Volcano Staff 3,4, Office Sec'y 4, Cheerleader 1-4, Student Council 2,3,4, Student Council Officer 3,4, Chorus 1,2,3, Pep Club 3, Homecoming Queen Attendant 3,4.

VERLE PETERSON Track 1,2,3, Boys' Glee 1-4, Vocal Group 1-4, Hi-Y 3, Class Officer 3, FFA 1-4, Drama Club 3,4, Class Play 3, Volcano Staff 3,4, Chorus 1-4, FFA Officer 3, National Thespian Society 4.

PAM POSTEN Basketball 2,3, Girls' Glee 1,2,3, Vocal Group 1,2,4., Band 2,3,4, Instrumental 3,4, Y-Teen 1-4, Drama 3,4, Class Play 3, Volcano Staff 3,4, Office Sec'y 4, Cheerleader 1, Student Council 3, Chorus 1-4, Drama Officer 4, Student Director 3.

PATSY RUPP Girls' Glee 1,2, Y-Teen 1-4, Librarians 2,3,4, Band 1-4, Officer

Sec'y 4, Chorus 4, Pep Club 3, Librarians Club Officer 4, Librarians Council 3, Y-Teen Cabinet 4.

SANDRA RUPP Girls' Glee 1,2, Y-Teen 1-4, Librarians 3,4, Drama Club 4, Y-Teen Cabinet 2.

DOUGLAS SHOUGH Football 4, Basketball 1,2,3, Class Officer 2, Class Play 3, Annual Staff 3.

MARLENE SIERP Basketball 1-4, Girls' Glee 1,2, Vocal Group 1,2, Y-Teen 1-4, Class Officer 1, Drama Club 4, Librarians 1,2,3, Office Sec'y 4, Chorus 1,2, Librarians Club Officer 3, Homecoming Queen Attendant 3,4.

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MARVIN SMITH (transferred) Basketball 2,3, Boys' Glee 1, Class Officer 2, FFA 4, Class Play 3, Student Council 2, Basketball Manager 1.

TOM SMITH Football 2,3, Basketball 1-4, Track 1,2, Boys' Glee 1,2,4, Hi-Y 1-4, FFA 1,2, Chorus 1,2.

JIM SPRAGUE Basketball 1, Track 1,3,4, Boys' Glee 1-4, Vocal Group 1-4, Instrumental 1-4, Band 1-4, Class Play 3. Chorus 1-4.

MELVIN TAYLOR Boys' Glee 2,4, Vocal Group 4, Hi-Y 1-4, FFA 1,2,3, Chorus 2,4.

JUANITA TEMPLETON Band 3,4, Y -Teen 1-4, Y-Teen Cabinet 4.

LARRY WHEELER Football 1-4, Track 1-4, Boys' Glee 1,2, FFA 1-4, Student Council 4.

JERRY SMITH Basketball 1, Track 1, Boys' Glee 2,3,4, Vocal Group 3,4, Band 4, Instrumental 4, Hi-Y 4, FFA 1, Annual Staff 4, Volcano Staff 3, Chorus 2,3,4,

CURTIS FREY Football 4, Basketball 3, Vocal Group 3, Band 1-4, Class Officer 1,2,3, Class Play 3, Annual Staff 4,

Basketball Manager 4.

GENE WHITE Football 1, FFA 1,2,3. DOUGLAS McFARLAND FFA 1-4, Track 1.

# ACTIVITIES

# YR1960PG021

#### FTA

Discussing several FTA projects are (left to right): front row-El. Burton-vice-rresident, Ev. Burton-president, G. Core-secretary, J. Johnson-treasurer, S. Needham, J. Core, Mrs. Mason; row 2-M. Rusk, J. Templeton, N. Larson, J. Cooney, J. Templeton, S. Rung

Science Club

Science club members, shown observing several experiments, are (left to right): P. Clarke, W. Lewis, G. Neal, S. Sidwell, M. Peterson, T. King, Mr. Dodson, J. Griffith, L. Polsley

Teen Haven

Teen Haven Council members are (left to right): front row-D. Christie, Clara. Johnson, M. Barlow, Leonard Posten, Mary Lou nadden, P. Madden; row 2-K. Jamison, Harold Sidwell, J. Magnuson, Walter Gourley, C. Ashmore, Clair Ashmore, J. Marvick, Judd Means

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Juniors

r. Gourley	Pres.				
R. Shepherd	Vice Pres.				
J. Muller	Sec'y				
R. Lewis	Treas.				
S. Archer	D. Ashmore	M. Ashmore	V. Baker	K. Barker	K. Bartz
R. Brown	El. 7A1rtnn	Ev. Burton	N. Carlson	G. Core	L. Currin
D. Devine	E. Dryer	B. Dunn	E. Everett	D. Fastenau	R. French
S. Gridley	J. Guthrie	D. Haley	H. Hedstrom	G. HeinJ. Higg	ins
Llackson	D. Johnson	Linhnson	Linhnston	T King I Knu	dson

### YR1960PG023

L. Lines D. Line	dell M. Ly	nch P. Ma	idden J. Ma	gnuson R. Mil	ler
L. Moser	D. Olander	B. Olson	P. Orton	C. Peterson	D. Peterson
S. Pfeiffer	J. Robinson	J. Schafer	N. Shipman	W. Shough	D. Smith
K. Starlin	S. Sullivan	M. Veak	B. Webster		
I. Wheeler	R. Wheeler	L. Williams			

### YR1960PG024

R. Strickland P	res. T. Nise	ely Vice Pres.	B. Selby Sec'y	. M. McFarland	Treas.
L. Ackerman	B.Arterburn	J. Asklof	D. Bartz	G. Beck	G. Branan
L. Branan	N. Brown	L. Carmichael	R. Clayton	J. Cooney	J. Crouse
M. Derry	J. Doll	R. Freshour	M. Frey	L. Fulton	C. Gay
K. GeerM. Go	lay L. Gou	rley J. Griff	ith D. Hale	ey G. Hea	ard
B. Hendrix	I. Herzberg	K. Jamison	D. Johns	B. Kemery	K. Kernen

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W. Lewis	N. McCoy	C. McCuen	L. McKee	J. I	Marvick	S. Means
E. Moritz	G. NealL. Neal	D. Noi	rthup V.	Oliver	J. Parl	churst
N Patterson	F Perrin	C Peterson	I Peterson	n P	Peterson	C Phillis

L. Polsley	J. Posten	S. Purvis	G. Russell	S. Sidwell	J. Smith
E. Stackhouse	C. Stallings	J. Taylor	G. Templeto	n 3. Templeton	D. Units
R. Vogel	A. Waage	S. Waage	E. Weiner	D. Wheeler	D. White
G Mathews	R Wilhelm	I Wirth	K Zellmer		

### YR1960PG026

In Memoriam GARY GORDON BRANAN (1943-1959)

IN MEMORIAM

There are times in high school's busy days when students pause to pay tribute to the memory of a classmate who has met death prematurely. Such a day was December 14, 1959, when Gary Gordon Branan, a sophomore at VHS, was killed in an automobile accident.

Gary, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilbur Branan, was active in sports during his school days, participating in football and basketball. He was a member of Hi-Y and was Teen Haven Council secretary.

He served as class president during his freshman and his sophomore years at VHS. Gary was an honor roll student.

'They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old;

Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. As the going down of the sun and in the morning We will remember them."

# YR1960PG027

Fre	shmen	

J. Loughry Pre	es. D. Gu	nderman Vice I	Pres. R. Hai	nson Sec'y	T. Haley Treas.
T. Agnew	B. Ankeny	J. Arterburn	C. Ashmore	S. Baker	D. Bales
R. Briggs	R. Brown	R. Carlson	R. Carlson	M. Cerven	R. Chaney
P. Clarke	T. Cooper	K. Dunn	L. Frazee	R. Gard	P. Garland
J. Greenfield	C. Gourley	D. Heuer	M. Hinkle	S. Jackson	C. Johnson
L. Johnson	J. Johnson	M. Johnson	N. Larson	M. Lvnam	P. Lvnam

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E. Lynch	C. Maher	R. Waxen	D. McCoy	K. McCuen	C. McKinley
C. Means	M. Means	B. Moore	J. Neal J. Orst	ad M. Pe	terson
M. Peterson	R. Peterson	L. Raines	J. Reside	J. Runyan	B. Rupp
M. Rusk	J. Schaffer L. S	Schwartz J. Shoo	ugh B. Smi	th S. Smi	th
M. Sparks	J. Spencer	T. Sprague	D. Stein	C. Stevenson	_E. Sunderman
B. Ten Eyck	K. VeakP. Wel	oster D, Wh	eeler B. Wil	lsR. Winslow	
Judy Gourley	Phyllis Brown				

# YR1960PG029

Varsity Cheerleaders KATHIE PENWELL JANIS MAGNUSON MARTHA ASHMORE CAROLE STALLINGS ELAINE STACKHOUSE

# YR1960PG030

Senior Lettermen

BOB CARLSON Tackle
JIM GERMAR Halfback
BILL BRENTON Halfback
LYLE NEAL Fullback
RUSS NORTHUP End
RON JOHNSTON End
MICK BARLOW End

### YR1960PG031

Underclassmen
LARRY BRANNAN Halfback
DAVE HALEY Guard
DENNIS FASTENAU Guard
BOB STRICKLAND Fullback
LARRY LINES Center
DENNIS NORTHUP Manager
RON BROWN Tackle

### YR1960PG032

CO-CAPTAIN LARRY WHEELER Halfback
CO-CAPTAIN DENNIS CHRISTIE Quarterback
PAUL WALLJASPER Assist. Coach
RAY SHEARER Head Coach

ROW 1: D. McCoy, T. Haley, B. Smith, R. Chaney, D. Wheeler, R. Carlson, E. Lynch, J. Reside, ROW 2: T. Nisely, G. Brannan, K. Jamison, L. Brannan, L. Neal, B. Strickland, P. Madden, R. Brown, ROW 3: D. Haley, L. Lines, D. Fastenau, L. Wheeler, M. Barlow, B. Brenton, D. Christie, ROW 4: B. Carlson, R. Northup, J. Germar, R. Johnston, L. Neal

### YR1960PG033

BAND

BLUE JAY BAND DIRECTOR DUANE JOHNSON CLARINDA BAND JAMBOREE QUEEN DIANNE PETERSON

MARCHING BAND

Front Row, L. to R. S. Gridley, J. Robinson, J. Palmquist, C. Frey J. Runyan, M. Cerven, D. Peterson. Row 2, L. to R. L. Moser, M. Frey S. Means, P. Posten, M. Rusk, El. Burton, Ey. Burton, J. Johnson

L. Frazee, P. Brown. Row 3, L. to R. K. Veak, J. Gourley, J. Cooney G. Fisher, J. Artlip, B. Brannan, J. Sprague, G. Beck, D. Gunderman J. Posten, J. Muller, M. Means, G. Russell, M. Derry', K. Barker S. Needham, B. Kemery, N. Brown. Row 4, L. to R. Mr. Johnson M. Barlow, J. Spencer, F. Gourley, M. Veak, J. Smith, D. White K. Zellmer, L. Ackerman, J. Templeton, S. Sullivan, K. Starlin, P. Clarke

The members of the newly formed Dance Band are: P. Clarke K. Starlin, J. Artlip, S. Gridley, B. Brannan, J. SoraEue K. Barker, G. Beck, J. Robinson, J. Smith, N. Brown, G.

Russell, B. Kemery, P. Brown, M. Veak

### YR1960PG034

The Bluejay Band Council is talking over plans for future contests. Those students on the council are: Seated, L. to R. S. Needham J. Muller, S. Sullivan, M. Cerven, Mr. Johnson. Standing,-L. to R. J. Robinson, J. Artlip, G. Russell

TRUMPET TRIO
CLARINET QUARTET

The Bluejay Pep Band supplied pep songs at all home basketball games. Its members are: Front Row, L. to R. L. Ackerman M. Means, P. Brown, S. Means, K. Starlin, P. Clarke, Mr. Johnson Row 2, L. to R. B. Kemery, N. Brown, D. Gunderman, J. Spencer M. Veak, Row 3, I. to R. G. Beck, J. Sprague, J. Smith J. Artlip, B. Brannan

#### YR1960PG035

Homecoming Queen DOROTHY JOHNSON

### YR1960PG036

Homecoming
Queen
Attendents
MARLENE SIERP Senior
KATHIE PENWELL SENIOR
SUZY SULLIVAN Junior
DIANNE PETERSON Junior

# YR1960PG037

Homecoming Scenes

# YR1960PG038

Hi-Y

Holding a meeting of the officers. Mr. Richards, Sponsor, L. Gourley-Sec. and Treas., D. Christie-President, B. Carlson-Vice-Pres., and R. Northup-Chaplin

Front Pow, Left to Right, J. McKee, D. Olander, R. Northup, M. Taylor, J. Asklof, D. Northup, T. Smith, B.Carlson. Row 2. Mr. Richards, Sponsor, J. Findley, J. Knudson, D. Lindell, J. Griffith, M. Barlow, D. Carmichael, D. Christie. Row 3. B. Greenfield, J. Smith, R. Carlson, D. Fastenau, S. Means, K. Jamison, L. Gourley, J. Crouse, and K. Zellmer.

### YR1960PG039

Admiring F.F.A. Sweetheart, Shirley Needham, is President Lyle Neal.

These FFA Officers have helped with such projects as the FFA Banquet, FFA Workday, and The Safty Program. From left to right. Philip Madden-Reporter, Lee Gourley-Secretary, Bob Carlson-Parlimentarian, Lyle Neal-President, Ron Brown-Vice President, Monroe McCoy-Sentinel, and Mr. Moore-Sponsor.

Bottom Row, From L. to R., L. Neal, C. Gay, R. Brown, B. Carlson, R. Wilhelm, P. Madden, B. Brenton, D. Stein, Row 2, Mr. Moore, L. Gourley, J. Crouse, C. Peterson, J. Findley, B. Greenfield, J. McKee, R. Carlson, D. Wheeler, B. Ten .Eyck, R. Winslow, E. Gilleland. Row 3, E. Sunderman, J. Orstead, J. Neal, M. Peterson, J. Posten, L. Carmichael, T. Haley, D. Haley, S. Pfieffer, D. Smith.

Row 4, T. Cooper, L. Neal, L. Fulton, R. Gard, D. McFarland, M. Smith, McCoy, L. Wheeler, D. Devine, G. Mathews, J. Gray. Row 5, L. Ackerman, B. Arterburn, D. Johnson, G. Hein, D. Haley, H. Headstrom, S. Archer, D. Lindell, D. Olander, N. McCoy, S. Means.

### YR1960PG040

Varsity Basketball
DAVID HIGGINS
RUSS NORTHUP
DENNIS CHRISTIE All Conference
TOM SMITH

RON JOHNSTON JERRY KNUDSON ROGER SHEPHERD COACH PAUL WALLJASPER ASS'T RAY SHEARER

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VARSITY TEAM: Front Row, L. to R.: D. Christie, D. Higgins, R.Northup, J. Germar, T. Smith, R. Johnston Back Row, L. to R.: Manager C. Frey, J. Knudson, R. Shepherd, L. Lines.

D. Olander,	B, Du	ınn, P	. Mac	lden,	Manag	er G.	King		Tota	ıl	
	Field	Goals	s F	ree T	hrows	H.E	. н	. E.	Reb	Sc A	ve
	Md	Att	: F	et	Md	Att	Р	ct			
	Score	e Ave									
Dennis Christie	124	338	.367	61	85	.718	201	15.0	103	309	14.7
Russ Northup	78	184	.424	103	158	.652	182	13.0	207	259	12.3
Dave Higgins	70	252	.278	48	74	.649	118	8.4	117	188	9.0
Jerry Knudson	49	129	.380	46	92	.500	73	5.2	48	144	6.9
Roger Shepherd	52	150	.347	31	47	.660	104	7.4	78	135	6.4
Ron Johnston	5	20	.250	13	23	.565	8	1.3	28	23	2.1
Tom Smith	2	15	.133	2	13	.154	6	.6	27	6	.4
Larry Branan	0	0	.000	2	3	.666	2	1.0	1	2	1.0
Dean Olander	0	3	.000	1	7	.143	0	.0	4	1	.5
Others	0	19		5	16		3		27	5	
Villisca Total	380	1110	.342	312	518	.602	697	49.8	640	107	51.0
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Opponent Total	459	1314	.349	271	468	.579	860	61.4		118	56.2
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Won 6 - Lost 15

SECOND TEAM: Front Row, L. to R.: R. Wilhelm, N. McCoy, J. Asklof, R. Wills, N. Brown, Middle Row, L. to R.: D. Northup, H. Weiner, J. Reside, R. Peterson, B. Kemery Back Row, L. to R.: C. Peterson, R. Carlson, G. Heard, E. Lynch, T. Nisely

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MARLENE SIERP Forward
KAREN BARKER Forward
SUZY SULLIVAN Post Forward All County
ELAINE BURTON Guard
EVELYN BURTON Guard
PHYLLIS BROWN Post Guard
SANDY GOURLEY Post Guard

1959-60 Schedule

V.	0.	
63	Sidney	41
54	Walnut	76
63	Elk Horn	83
55	Stanton	58
48	Essex	34
67	Emerson	89

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42	"	"	Stanton	62
42	"	"	Elliott	55
46	Se.	T.	New Market	27
56			Farragut	48
69			Audubon	68
49			Wales	41
50			Lenox	45
68			Glenwood	19
60	"	"	Wales	35
56	Co.	Т.	Coburg	46
63			Lenox	46
72			Bedford	47
85			Clearfield	82
81			Alumnae	55
88			Bedford	52
69			Prescott	56
73			Glenwood	52

**COACH TOM ENGLEBERT** 

### YR1960PG044

### 2ND TEAM

Front Row, Left to Right, R. Briggs, P. Webster, M. Lynam, P. Lynam,

M. Derry, J. Schafer, S. Jackson. Row 2, L. McKee, manager, B. Hendrix, B. Selby, M. Rusk, S. Purvis, J. Templeton, M. Sparks.

VARSITY

Front Row, Left to Right, S. Gourley, E. Burton, K. Barker, S. Sullivan, M. Sierp, E. Burton, P. Grown, Row 2, K. Bartz, D. gunderman, J. Muller, J. Johnson, C. Means.

GIRL'S CHEERLEADERS

Carolyn Gourley, Beverly Ankeny, Kay Veak, Carla Ashmore

### YR1960PG045

### Volcano Staff

Busy on the Volcano are from Front to Back, Left to Right, M. Barlow; J. Artlip; R. Johnson: S. Needham; J. Palmquist; G. King; K. Penwell; S. Gourley; Miss Burrish; D. Christie; P. Posten.

Journalism class members are from Front to. Back, Left to Right, J. Guthrie, J. Magnuson, L. Wilcoxon, Ev. Burton, F. Gourley, P. Orton, M. Lynch, K. Starlin, El. Burton, M. Veak, T, King, Miss Burrish, D. Devine.

### YR1960PG046

January February March April May

# YR1960PG048

# **Progress Unlimited**

HIGH SCHOOL

Two new school buildings and school district reorganization were part of our school year. Villisca is proud of its new grade school building, and addition to the high school. Along with the new buildings, our school district increased in number of pupils and size. They are an evidence of the growing school community.

GRADE SCHOOL

BAND

GYM

SHOP

#### YR1960PG049

Y-Teens

JUNIORS-SENIORS

FRESHMEN-SOPHOMORES

Y-Teen Cabinet members making plans for the second semester are: J. Robinson-Treasurer, Mrs. Youngman, (standing), J. Odson, M. Golay, J. Peterson, D. Johnson, E. Burton, B. Se1by-Secretary, Mrs. Mason,

J. Templeton, E. Brings-President, C. Stallings (standing), E. Burton-Vice-Presicent, J. Muller, N. Carlson.

### YR1960PG050

Student Council

Admiring one of the Student Council projects, the Bluejay, are officers, from L. to R., R. Northup, Treasurer; S. Sullivan, Vice-President; K. Penwell. Secretary; D. Christie, President.

Discussing the "code of ethics" are: Front Row, L. to R., D. Christie,

B. Selby, J. Spencer, J. Johnson, F. Gourley, B. Moore, T. Nisely; Row 2, I. to R., K. Jamison, P. Brown, S. Sullivan, J. Knudson, J. Crouse,

C. Petersen; Row 3, L. to R., K. Penwell, R. Northup, L. Neal, M. Barlow, J. Palmquist.

### YR1960PG051

Drama

Thespian members and Drama Club leaders were: Left to right: M. Veak, Mrs. Adams, J. Palmquist, P. Posten, I. Artlin

"The Glass Menagerie" took a I rating at state contest. Jeanne Palmquist received an Outstanding Actress award. Members of the cast were: Left to right: J. Artlip, J. Palmquist, R. Northup, K. Penwell. ebranita

Rehearsing lines for the musical production, "The King And I" are: Left to right: front row-El. Burton, J. Robinson, J. Magnuson: back row-K. Penwell, R. Northup, J. Palmquist, J. Artlip, M. Veak, M. Taylor, V. Peterson, H. Weiner.

DRAMA CLUB MEMBERS

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All State quartet, Front Row, L. to R. J. Smith, El. Burton, J. Palmquist V. Peterson. Little All State Band Row 2, L. to R. J. Robinson, S. Gridley Ev. Burton, S. Needham, Row 3, L. to R. B. Brannan, J. Artlip, J. Sprague, M. Veak Accompanists: S. Needham and M. Veak. Front Row, L. to R. M. Johnson, J. Arterburn, Ev. Burton, S. Gridley, J. Schafer, J. Muller, L. Moser

T. Jamison, D. Carmichael, K. Zellmer, G. Beck, K. Barker, J. Robinson D. Gunderman, El. Burton, J. Runyan, C. Means. Row 2, L. to R. C. Gourley C. Maher, D. Baker, L. Frazee, J. Gourley, R. Hansen, Y. Larson, J. Magnuson R. Wilhelm, C. Peterson, L. Carmichael, M. Lynam, K. Selby, C. Johnson M. Lynch, K. Ashmore, K. Veak, M. Cerven, D. Peterson, Y. Carlson, B. Ankeny Row 3, L. to R. M. Hinkle, Y. Patterson, E. Stackhouse, C. Stallings S. Baker, C. McKinley, K. Bartz, D. Johnson, T. Sprague, J. Smith, R. Chaney M. Barlow, B. Smith, P. Webster, J. Spencer, J. Greenfield, D. Heuer

J. Parkhurst, E. Moritz, P. Clarke, J. Palmquist. Row 4, L. to R. K. Starlin C. Stevenson, M. Peterson, L. Williams, J. Core, D. White, C. Howell

P. Lynam, H. Weiner, B. Kemery, D. Higgins, J. Artlip, J. Sprague, M. Taylor B. Brannan, P. Fasten, P. Brown, J. Marvick, M. Means, M. Rusk.

Accompanists for chorus and glee clubs Seated, L. to R. M. Veak, Mr. Rounsevell Seated on piano, L. to R. D.

### Peterson M. Cerven, S. Needham

### YR1960PG053

Boys' Glee: Accompanist, M. Veak; Row 1, L.to R. K. Jamison, D. Carmichael, C. Peterson, K. Zellmer, R. Chaney, T. Sprague, Row 2, L. to R. J. Smith, R. Wilhelm, H. Weiner, M. Taylor, M. Barlow, B. Smith, G. Beck, D. Christie, Row 3, 1. to R. T. Smith, B. Kemery, J. Asklof, D. Higgins, R. Northup, J. Artlip, J. Sprague, G. King, B. Brannan Members of the Madrigal are: Row 1, L. to R. V. Peterson, S. Needham, E. Burton, J. Smith, Row 2, L. to R. C. Peterson, J. Palmquist, M. Rusk, E. Burton, J. Artlip, Row 3, L. to R. R. Wilhelm, J. Magnuson, J. Muller, M. Veak J. Robinson, P. Posten, J. Sprague

Girls' Glee: Accompanists: M. Cerven, D. Peterson, Row 1, L. to R. K. Bartz, M. Means, J. Marvick, M. Derry, L. Williams, J. Magnuson, Row 2, L. to R. S. Gridley, E. Burton, N. Larson, L. McKee, P. Brown, D. White, M. Hinkle, J. Spencer, J. Palmquist, K. Starlin, .1Row 3, L. to R. E. Burton, J. Arterburn, J. Muller, P. Posten, C. Howell, T. Selby, M. Lynch, J. Schafer, R. Hanson, S. Needham, Row 4, L. to R. C. Gourley, C. Maher, N. Carlson, C. Stallings, J. Parkhurst, K. Penwell, J. Core, D. Johnson, J. Runyan, E. Moritz, D. Baker. E. Stackhouse

### YR1960PG054

Librarians

Librarian Cabinet:

K. Selby, P. Rupp, Miss Gardner, J. Magnuson

Librarians for the year were: L. to R.

Front row: P. Orton, Core, J. Magnuson, Miss Gardner, S. Rupp

Row 2: E. Perrin, K. Selby, P. Rupp, J. Jackson, J. Marvick

Row 3: V. Oliver, G. Russell

Row 4: E. Brigs, J. Guthrie

Row 5: Y. Lynch, M. Frey Row 6: B. Selby, L. McKee

Office Secretaries

Those who helped Mr. Sullivan in his office this year were: Row 1, L. to R. P. Rupp, S. Gourley, P. Posten, Mr. Sullivan. Row 2, L. to R. K. Penwell. D. Johnson. S. Needham, J. Core.

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Track

Returning: lettermen: Left to right, front row-R. Northup, J. Germar, M. Barlow; last row-B. Strickland, L.

Wheeler

TRACK MEETS

April 9th Tarkio Relays, Tarkio, Missouri
April 14th Cardinal Relays, Clarinda
April 23rd Tiger Relays, Griswold
April 26th Fr.-Soph. Meet, Creston
May 3rd Blue Jay Relays, Villisca

May 7th District Meet
May 10th Hawkeye 8
May 14th State Meet

The track squad: Left to tight, front row-D. Wheeler, P. Madden, S. Archer, D. Lindell, J. Knudson, B. Dunn, D. Fastenau, D. Units; row 2-J. Asklof, M. Grey, T. Haley, B. Strickland, L. Lines, D. Haley, J. Orstad, R. Chaney; row 3-L. Branan, R. Northup, J. Germar, D. Carmichael, M. Barlow, L. Wheeler

### YR1960PG056

Annual Staff

D. Christie S. Needham

Ev. Burton J. Smith K. Penwell D. Carlson

S. Gourley

K. Barker D. Johnson M. Veak C. Frey G. King

Mr. Hayden R. Northup R. Johnston

Planning pictures for the Bluejay Annual are S. Needham, Business Manager; K. Penwell, Co-Editor; Mr. Hayden, Sponsor; D. Christie, Co-Editor,

### YR1960PG057

Graduation

Awaiting graduation are (left to right): M. Taylor, D. Christie, D. Johnson, K. Penwell, S. Needham

If you can dream-and not make dreams your master;

If you can think-and not make thoughts your aim; If you can meet with Triumph and Disaster

And treat those two imposters just the same;... If you can fill the unforgiving minute

With sixty seconds' worth of distance run,

Yours is the Earth and everything that's in it, And-which is more-you'll be a Man, my son!

Rudyard Kipling

### YR1960PG059

**Helping Hands** 

Janitors for VHS were "Cappy" Patterson and Stuart Jamison.

Serving: meals in the hot lunch room were 1 to r Millie Doan, Lola Odson, and Grace Ten Eyck.

Handling the chores of office secretary was Irene Stackhouse

Bus drivers included 1. to r. Manager J. Frazee, J. Milligan, B. Woodward, A. Zellmer, F. Marvick, A. McClelland,

Q. Dunn, G. Doan, 3. B. King, D. Strait, J. March, A. Pullen, D. Wirth, L. Lewis, and J. Cooper

### YR1960PG060

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LOYAL AND TRUE Loyal and True, We Pledge Allegiance to You-This is Our Motto; We Are All for One, and All for the Alma Mater.

Here's to Our School, And Long on High May she Rule;

Forever More You Will Find Us

Always Loyal and True

VILLISCA

## YR1961PG005

**FOREWORD** 

VHS - We will remember you.

VHS - Always the same yet always changing. . . . an old school, a new one, too. . . . happy days, sad days, fleeting days gone by.

Students will come and students will go - but none will remain unaffected by life at VHS. Out of the drama of her halls, the frivolity of her pupils, we grew as we learned. We will leave her sadly - yet with pride and gratitude in our hearts. We will remember her dearly when her halls no longer echo with our own laughter. . . . We will look to her and proudly say. . . .

VHS. . . . our school

It's all here in the Bluejay - the year we'll never forget - as we turn back the leaves of time. . . .

# YR1961PG006

DEDICATION

He has been much more than a fine principal - he has been a friend and counselor. He has shown not only knowledge but also understanding and guidance.

It is with deepest gratitude, with respect for his earnest and capable labor, and with heartfelt graciousness that we think of him.

Because of his inspiring personality and character, we are proud to dedicate the 1961 Bluejay to MR. LOUIS A. SULLIVAN

#### YR1961PG007

**ADMINISTRATION** 

ARON LAIPPLE SUPERINTENDENT

LOUIS SULLIVAN PRINCIPAL

**BOARD OF EDUCATION** 

From left to right: Margaret Poore; Margaret Larson, Secretary; Ruth Pogue, President. Roy Selley; Glen Sierp; Marion Needham; Aron Laipple.

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#### YR1961PG011

1960 PROM EVENING IN PARIS

# YR1961PG012

**SENIORS** 

JERRY KNUDSON - PRESIDENT Basketball 1-4; Track 3,4; Hi-Y 3,4; Student Council 4.

KAREN BARKER - VICE-PRESIDENT Basketball 1-4; Girls Glee 4; Chorus 3,4, Secretary-Treasurer 4; Vocal Group 1; Marching Band 1,3,4; Concert Band 1,3,4; Dance Band 3,4; Little All-State Band 4; Y-Teen 3,4, Program Chairman 4; Class Play 2,3; Annual Staff 3,4, Business Manager 4; Office Secretary 4.

SHARON GRIDLEY - SECRETARY

Girls Glee 1-3; Chorus 1-3; Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Pep Band 1,2; Dance Band 3,4; Little All-State Band 3,4; Instrumental Group 1-4; Y-Teen 1-4; Class Vice-President 1; Class Play 3; Office Secretary 4; Pep Club 1,2, Secretary 2; Homecoming Attendant 4; Band Queen 4.

STANLEY ARCHER - TREASURER Football 1,2,4; Basketball 1,2; Track 1.-4/ Hi -Y 1-4; Class President 2; FFA 1-4, Treasurer 4; Student Council 2; Road Runners 3,4; Treasurer 3,4.

# YR1961PG013

JANICE JACKSON Basketball 1; Y-Teen 1-4; Drama 1,2; Librarians 3,4; Student Council 2; Pep Club 1,2; Betty Crocker Homemaker of the Year 4.

ROBERT MILLER Football 3; Basketball 1,2; Marching Band 1; Pep Band 1; FFA 3,4.

KARLA STARLIN Girls Glee 1-3; Chorus 2,3; Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Pep Band 1-4; Dance Band 3,4; Little All-State Band 4; Y-Teen 1-4; Drama 1,2; Class Play 3; Press Club 4, Secretary 4; Cheerleader 1,2,4; Baton Twirler 3; Pep Club 1,2.

RICHARD CORE

LINDA WILLIAMS Girls Glee 2,3; Chorus 3; Y-Teen 1-4; Drama 2; Class Play 3; Cheerleader 2; Pep Club 2; Baton Twirler 3.

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GLORIA CORE Girls Glee 1,4; Chorus 4; Y-Teen 1-4, Cabinet 2; FTA 3,4, Secretary 3,4; Librarians 3; Office Secretary 4.

WILLIAM SHOUGH Football 4.

JANICE JOHNSON Y -Teen 1-4; FTA 3,4, Treasurer 3; Office Secretary 4.

LEROY CLARK Football 1; Chorus 1; FFA 1. (transferred)

PEGGY ORTON Girls Glee 1,2; Y-Teen 1-4 Librarians 2-4.

#### YR1961PG015

ROBERT DUNN Football 4; Basketball 1-4; Track 3; Class Vice-President 1; Class Vice-President 2; Student Council 4; Baseball 1,2.

JUDY MULLER Basketball 1-4; Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Vocal Group 1-4; Marching Band 1-3; Concert Band 1-3; Instrumental Group 1-3; Y-Teen 1-4, Musician 3, Cabinet 3; Class Secretary 3; Class Play 3.

LARRY LINES Football 1-4; Basketball 1-4; Track 1-4; Boys Glee 1; Chorus 1; Hi-Y 1-3; Road Runners 3,4. JUDY ROBINSON Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 1-4, Vice-President 4; Vocal Group 1-4; Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Pep Band 1,2; Dance Band 3,4; Instrumental Group 1-4; Band President 4; Band Council 2-4; Little All-State Band 3,4; Y-Teen 1-4, President 4, Council 2-4; Class Play 3; Annual Staff 2,4; Pep Club 1,2; Homecoming Queen 4; Golf Team 1,2; Outstanding Actress 3.

GLENN HEIN Basketball 1; Boys Glee 1; Chorus 1,4; Vocal Group 1,4; Hi-Y 1-4; FFA 1-4; Road Runners 3,4, Sentinel 3.4.

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DIANNE PETERSON Basketball 3; Girls Glee 1-4, Accompanist; Chorus 1-3; Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Pep Band 1,2; Instrumental Group 1-4; Little All-State Band 4; Clarinda Band Jamboree Queen 3; Y-Teen 1-4, Cabinet 4, Secretary 4; Student Council 4; Golf Team 2-4; Pep Club 1,2; Homecoming Attendant 3,4. DAVID HALEY Football 1-4; Track 3,4; FFA 1-4, Sentinel 4; Wrestling 1,2,4; Road Runners 3,4, Vice-President 3,4. (transferred)

MARTHA ASHMORE Girls Glee 1,2; Chorus 2; Y-Teen 1-4; FTA 3; Drama 2,4; One'-act Play 4; Cheerleader 1-4. PHILIP MADDEN Footbal 1-4; Basketball 1-4; Track 1-3; Boys Glee 1; Hi-Y 1,4; FFA 1-4, Reporter 3, Sentinel 4; Teen Haven 3, Secretary 3; President of Page County 4-H 4.

SUZY SULLIVAN Basketball 1-4; Marching Band 1-3; Y-Teen 3,4; Class President 1; Drama 1-4, Secretary 4; Class Play 1,2; One-act Play 2; Annual Staff 4; Office Secretary 4; Cheerleader 1,4; Student Council 1,3,4, President 4. FFA Sweetheart 4. (transferred)

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FLOYD GOURLEY Basketball 1; Boys Glee 1-3; Chorus 1-4; Vocal Group 2,3; Marching Band 3,4; Concert Band 3,4; Little All-State Band 4; Hi-Y 1-4; Class Secretary 2; Class President 3; FFA 1,2, Reporter 2; Drama 3; Annual Staff 2; Student Council 3; Road Runners 3,4, Lawyer 3,4.

ELAINE BURTON Basketball 1-4; Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Vocal Group 1-4; All-State Chorus 3; Tri-State Chorus 3; Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Instrumental Group 2-4; Band Secretary 4; Little All-State Band 4; Y-Teen 1-4, Secretary 2, Cabinet 3,4; Class President 1; FTA 3,4, Vice-President 3; Class Play 3; Annual Staff 4; Office Secretary 4.

MICHAEL VEAK Boys Glee 1-3; Chorus 1-4, Accompanist; Vocal Group 1-3; Marching Band 1-4, Drum Major; Concert Band 1-4; Pep Band 1-4; Dance Band 3,4; Instrumental Group 1-4; Band Business Manager 4; Band Council 4; Little All-State Band 3,4; Hi-Y 1; FFA 1; Drama 2-4, President 4, Thespian 3,4; Class Play 3; One-act Play 2,4; Annual Staff 1,3,4, Co-editor 4; Press Club 4, Volcano Typist 4; Journeyman 3; Student Council 2,4. EVELYN BURTON Basketball 1-4; Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Vocal Group 1-4; Outstanding Musician (vocal); Tri-State Chorus; Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Dance Band Vocalist 4; Little All-Star" Band 3,4; Instrumental Group 1-4; Y-Ten 1-4, Vice-President 3, Cabinet 3,4; FTA 3,4, President 3; Annual Staff 3,4, Coeditor 4; Office Secretary 4; Student Council 1,4.

ROGER LEWIS Football 2; Basketball 1; Track 4; Hi-Y 3,4; Class Treasurer 3; Science Club 2; Drama 3; Road

#### YR1961PG018

BILL WEBSTER Football 1; Basketball 1; Track 1.

KAREN SELBY Basketball 1,2; Girls Glee 1,3,4; Chorus 2-4; Y-Teen 1-4; Librarians 2-4.

DONALD JOHNSON FFA 1-4.

JUDITH GUTHRIE Basketball 1-3; Marching Band 1,2; Concert Band 1,2; Instrumental Group 2; Y-Teen 1-4, Cabinet 4; Press Club 4, Volcano Business Manager 4; Librarians 3,4, President 4; Office Secretary 4. STEVEN PFEIFFER FFA 1-4.

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DEAN OLANDER Basketball 1-4; Hi-Y 1-4, President 4; Class Treasurer 2; FFA 1-4, Par-• liamentarian 4. LINDA MOSER Girls Glee 1-3; Chorus 1-3; Marching Band 1-3; Concert Band 1-3; Pep Band 1; Instrumental Group 1-3; Y-Teen 1-4, Cabinet 4; Drama 4; One-act Play 4; Annual Staff 4; Office Secretary 4; Student Council 4, Secretary 4; Teen Haven 1,2,4, President 4; Homecoming Attendant 4; Pep Club 1,2.

DENNIS FASTENAU Football 2-4; Basketball 1,2; Track 3; Boys Glee 1; Hi-Y 2-4; Class Treasurer 2; Road Runners 3.4. Secretary 3.4.

DOROTHY ASHMORE Basketball 1,2; Girls Glee 1,2; Chorus 2; Marching Band 3; Y-Teen 1-4; Drama 1,2,4, Secretary 2; Class Play 3; One-act play Student Director 4; Annual Staff 4; Librarians 2-4, Program Chairman 4; Office Secretary 4; Student Council 3,4, Vice-President 4.

HAROLD HEDSTROM Football 2; Basketball 2; Hi-Y 1; FFA 1-4; Road Runners 3,4, Reporter 3,4;

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KATHY BARTZ Basketball 1-4; Girls Glee 3,4; Chorus 3,4, President 4; Vocal Group 3,4; Y-Teen 3,4, vice-President 4; Class President 1; Class Play 2; Office Secretary 4.

RON BROWN Football 1-4; Track 1; Hi-Y 4; FFA 1-4, Secretary 2, Vice-President 3, President 4; Student Council 3; Road Runners 3,4, Historian 3,4.

NANCY CARLSON Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 2-4; Y-Teen 1-4, Cabinet 2-4, Southwest District President 3; Drama 1-4, Treasurer 4; Class Play 3; Annual Staff 4; Office Secretary 4; Cheerleader 1,2; Pep Club 1,2; Teen Haven 1,2; Band Queen Candidate 1.

ROGER SHEPHERD Basketball 1-4; Hi-Y 4; Class Vice-President 3; Student Council 1.

JANIS MAGNUSON Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 1-4; Vocal Group 1-4; Y-Teen 1-4; Class Play 3; Annual Staff 4; Librarians 2-4, Vice-President 3; Office Secretary 4; Cheerleader 1-4; Teen Haven 3; Pep Club 1,2; Outstanding Musician (vocal).

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JAY WHEELER

LETHA CURRIN Basketball 1,3; Y-Teen 1-4; Office Secretary 4.

RAY WHEELER

LORA WILCOXON Girls Glee 3,4; Chorus 3; Y-Teen 1-4; Y-Teen Cabinet 2,3; Social Service; FTA 3,4, Historian 3,4; Press Club 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4.

DONNIE SMITH Football 1,2; Track 1,2; FFA 1-4.

DARLE LINDELL Football 2; Basketball 2; Track 2-4; Boys Glee 1; Hi-Y 1-4; FFA 1-4; Road Runners 3,4, President 3-4.

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TERRY KING Boys Glee 3; Chorus 4; Vocal Group 4; FFA 1,2; Science Club 3,4, President 3, Vice-President 4; Annual Staff 4; Press Club 4, Volcano Editor 4; Student Council 4.

MARILYN LYNCH Basketball 1,2; Girls Glee 1-4; Chorus 3,4; Y-Teen 1-4; Press Club 4; Librarians 3,4; Office Secretary 4; Pep Club 1,2.

CARL PETERSON One-act play 4; Hi -Y 1-4; FFA 1,2; Annual Staff 4.

JANET SCHAFER Band 1,2; Basketball 1-3; Class President 2; Chorus 3,4; Girls Glee 3,4.

DON DEVINE Hi-Y 1-4; FFA 1-4, Reporter 4; Science Club 3, Vice-President 3; Press Club 4.

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Eugene Gilleland

Karen Geer

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Lee Fulton

Mary Frey

Richard Freshour

Joyce Doll

Merlene Derry

Jim Crouse

Janice Cooney

Leland Carmicheal

Russell Clayton

Nile McCoy

Kathryn Maurer

Jeanette Marvick

Wesley Lewis

Kathy Kernen

**Barton Kemery** 

Dale Johnson Kirk Jamison

Beth Hendrix

Gayle Heard

Lee Gourley

Mary Golay

President Lee Gourley

Vice President Nile McCoy

Secretary Barbara Selby

# Treasurer Jim Crouse

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David Wheeler

Barbara Selby

Howard Weiner

**Gayle Russell** 

Glen Templeton

Kenneth Zellmer

Lynn Wirth

Rex Wilhelm

Doris White

Carole Stallings

Elaine Stackhouse

Steve Sidwell

Mary Jane McFarland

Joyce Peterson

Lana Kay McKee

Elgin Perrin

Norma Patterson

Judy Parkhurst

Vicky Oliver

Dennis Northup

Tom Nisely

Larry Neal

Gerri Neal Evon Moritz

Stanley Means

John Posten

Robert Vogel

Larry Polsley

Dan Units

Cline Phillis

Joyce Templeton

Phyllis Peterson

Janette Taylor

**Charles Peterson** 

**Bob Strickland** 

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**SOPHOMORES** 

Mary Johnson

Nancy Larson

Lana Johnson

Jane Johnson

Chloe. Johnson

Sharon Jackson

Mary Hinkle

Tom Haley

Dee Gunderman

Janet Greenfield

Carolyn Gourley

Judy Gourley

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Mary Cerven

Roger Carlson Phyllis Brown

Ralph Gard

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Bob Moore

Mary Means

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Ronald Maxell Connie Maher

Coral McKinley

Kenny McCuen

Denny McCoy

Ed Lynch

Tom Sprague

Judy Spencer

Margaret Sparks

Bob Smith

Judy Shough

Margaret Shields

Larry Schwartz

Mary Lynn Rusk

Joanne Runyan

Jerry Reside

Raymond Peterson

Myra Peterson

Bernard Wills

Dale Wheeler

Patty Webster

Kay Veak

Bob TenEyck

Earl Sunderman

David Stein

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# FRESHMEN

Vicky Graham

Mary Lou Bisbee

Mae Louise Bisbee

Larry Bickert

Pat Barlow

Barbara Bangston

James Baker

**Doris Heatherington** 

Tom Haley

Patty Fryer

Karen Enarson

Candy Dunn

Dianne Derry

Dennis Carlson

Marsha Bryson

Jim Brannan

Linda Branan

Bobbye Maurer

Susan Madden Larry Liljedahl

Ronnie Lewis

Bernie Lewis

Paul Larson

David Kernen

Avon Johnson

Kaye Jamison

Gerald Jackson

President Ron Lewis

Vice President Kathy Wertman

Secretary Linda Newberg

Treasurer Nancy Zellmer

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Hugh Shields

**Edward Perrin** 

Nancy Zellmer

Sharyn Selley

Mark Palmquist

Linnea Odson

Craig Nordyke

Earl Wilcoxon

David White

Kathy Scholey

Roderick Russell

Linda Newberg

Mary Roberts

Jerry Rupp Patty Neal

Dick Quinn

Delene Storey

Stanley Means

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**Duane Peterson** 

**Edward Shough** 

**Bob Penwell** 

Janette Zellmer

Drew Schrader

Kathy Wertman

Carol Phillis **Dennis Means** 

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STUDENT COUNCIL

**OFFICERS** 

From left to right: Louis Sullivan Sponsor; Linda Moser, Secretary; Suzy Sullivan, President, Dorothy Ashmore, Vice President.

The Student Council is a group of elected students who are interested in the progress of their school. Working as a well run machine, the Student Council has carried through many projects benificial to the school. Projects completed this year are as follows:

- 1. With the cooperation of the cheerleaders, the Student Council sponsored a Blue and White Day, a colorful parade, and an enjoyable dance.
- 2. The Student Council constitution was rewritten to bring it up to date.
- 3. Student Council members served as ticket takers at all the home games.
- 4. Villisca was chosen as the site of the 1961 Student Council Convention, with our council as host.
- 5. With the help of the F.F.A., the Student Council has carried out a safety program which won a national award in 1960.
- 6. Several ideas presented to the Student Council through the suggestion box have been put into effect.
- 7. The Student Council has written a "hand book" for incoming freshmen.

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FALL

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FOOTBALL

TEAM

Philip Madden

**Danny Units** 

Larry Lines

Stan Archer

Lee Fulton

Tom Haley

# YR1961PG033

Dave Haley

William Shough

Ron Brown

Larry Neal

**CO-CAPTAINS** 

Dave Haley Ron Brown

Larry Branan

**Bob Strickland** 

## YR1961PG035

**BOOSTER CLUB** 

This group of Villisca High athletic enthusiasts, operating under the auspices of the Bluejay Booster Club, will drive more than 40,600 miles this year giving taxi service to athletes in Villisca schools.

This remarkable group of one-hundred fifty persons, of which only fifty are represented here, makes 1,621 trips motoring the students to their homes following afternoon sessions at Villisca and Nodaway. Although this volunteer organization's chief project is the tremendous transportation program, the highlight of the year is the sponsoring of an All-Sports Banquet held in the spring for the VHS athletes. This event always features a prominent speaker from the sport's field, such as this year's guest, Jerry Burns, head football coach at State University of Iowa. Another attraction headed by the Boosters was the benefit basketball game, featuring the Harlem Magicians, which drew a packed-group in the gymnasium.

The group's officers are Joe Lines, President; Kenneth Kernen, Vice-President; and Wally Williams, Secretary-Treasure

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HOMECOMING MEMORIES

# YR1961PG037

KAREN BARKER

SHARON GRIDLEY

LINDA MOSER

DIANNE PETERSON

QUEEN JUDY ROBINSON

#### YR1961PG038

MARCHING BAND

The Villisca Bluejay Marching Band participated in the following events: Welcome for Nixon at Red Oak; Clarinda Band Jamboree; State Marching Band Contest at Guthrie Center; Maryville Homecoming parade; Marched at all VHS football games.

**OFFICERS** 

Left to Right: Band Director, Duane Johnson; Senior Representative, Floyd Gourley, Secretary, Elaine Burton, Freshman Representative, Suzy Madden, President, Judy Robinson, Sophomore Representative, Phyllis Brown, Junior Representative, Norman Brown, Business Manager, Mike Veak. The Council nominated girls from the student body to compete for the Villisca Band Queen.

#### YR1961PG039

# CONCERT BAND

The Concert Band presented several concerts; among these were: Mid Winter Concert, featured soloist-Mr. John Berigan; Parade of Bands; Spring Honors Concert.

# DANCE BAND

From left to right, front row: Phyllis Brown, Mary Means, Sharon Gridley, Karen Barker, Susie Madden, Judy Robinson, Kaye Jamison, Gayle Russell, Drew Schrader. Left to right, second row: Michael Veak, Gene Beck, Dee Gunderman, Karla Starlin. Left to right, back row: Barton Kemery, Kenny Means, Norman Brown, Kenneth Zellmer, Mark Palmquist. Bernie Lewis is not pictured.

PEP

BAND

The Pep Band supported the football and basketball teams with pep songs and pep.

#### YR1961PG041

## MIXED CHORUS

The VHS mixed chorus of approximately seventy voices with Dean Rounsevell, choral director, performed the following this year: "Land 0' Cotton" minstrel show; PTA concert; choral festival at Sheanandoah; Spring concert: Commencement exercises.

Left to right: Judy Robinson, Vice-President; Kathy Bartz, President; Karen Barker, Secretary-Treasurer. **GLEE CLUB** 

The girls' glee club ran a tentative schedule for the first part of the year, but finally ended up at a fast and forward moving pace.

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CABINET MEMBERS

Y-TEENS

To grow as a person

To grow in friendship with people of all races, religions and nationalities.

To grow in the knowledge and love of God.

JUNIOR-SENIOR

FRESHMEN-SOPHMORE

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HI-Y **OFFICERS** 

From left to right: Warren Richards, Sponsor; Kirk Jamison, Chaplain; Lee Gourley, Vice-President; Jim Crouse, Secretary-Treasurer; and Dean Olander, President.

The Hi-Y Club included in their program interesting and educative films and basketball games with other Hi-Y

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WINTER

# YR1961PG046

**DEE GUNDERMAN Forward** SUZY SULLIVAN Post Forward KAREN BARKER Forward KATHY BARTZ Guard PHYLLIS BROWN Post Guard **EVELYN BURTON Guard ELAINE BURTON Guard** GIRLS' BASKETBALL

#### YR1961PG047

#### 2ND TEAM

Coach Engelbert

Coach Engelbert has the attention of the team while giving instructions in actual game play. Chaperon, Mrs. Youngman, and Manager, Barbara Selby are always at hand to fulfill the team's needs. 1ST TEAM

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Barton Kemery, Mgr. Returning lettermen Jr. - Sr. Squad Jerry Knudson and Roger Shepherd Fresh. and Soph. Squad Coach Weaver

# YR1961PG049

VARSITY BASKETBALL Nile McCoy **DEAN OLANDER** JERRY KNUDSON Bob Dunn ROGER SHEPHERD JIM ASKLOF Phil Madden Larry Branan

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BASKETBAL	L		RECO	RDS		
Girls			Boys			
Jayettes	Opponents		Blueja	ays Oppo	onents	
58	Sidney	31	52	Sidney	35	
37	Elk Horn	45	41	Elk Horn	31	
65	Stanton	36	33	Atlantic	61	

41	Essex	34	47	Corning	56
73	Bedford	44	59	Essex	35
74	Prescott	60	58	Clarinda	39
73	Glenwood	39	33	Creston	73
80	Lenox	58	44	Glenwood	55
60	Clearfield	63	50	Red Oak	77
60	Audubon	40	39	Shenandoah	59
58	Bedford	28	36	Atlantic	79
42	Mt. Ayr	48	50	Corning	68
65	Lenox	42	59	Clarinda	64
56	Prescott	47	64	Lenox	49
72	Glenwood	56	63	Creston	66
74	Walnut	46	54	Glenwood	73
61	Farragut	69	55	Red Oak	75
75	Stanton	51	51	South Page	68
52	South Page	61	64	New Market	58
60	New Market	38	45	South Page	59

#### WRESTLING

This year marked the first year for a wrestling team at Villisca High School, coached by Mr. Tom Engelbert. The boys who participated on the squad and who are pictured from left to right above are, front row: Bernie Lewis, Dave Haley, Glenn Hein, Ron Brown, David Baker; back row:

Kent Dunn, Tom Haley, Bill Arterburn, Ronnie Lewis. Those people not pictured are Ron Chaney, Eugene Gilleland, Laverne Ackerman, and Charles Peterson.

The two meets that were attended this year were the Corning Invitational and the district meet. The district meet was also held in Corning, Iowa.

# YR1961PG052

# **CHEERLEADERS**

BASKETBALL CHEERLEADERS: Left to right, Bev Ankeny, Carole Stallings, Kay Veak, Martha Ashmore, and Elaine Stackhouse.

GIRL'S BASKETBALL CHEERLEADERS: Left to right, Pat Fryer, Avon Johnson, Candy Dunn, and Kaye Jamison. The cheerleaders played an important part in the pacing of VHS's school spirit.

## FOOTBALL CHEERLEADERS:

Left to right, Elaine Stackhouse, Martha Ashmore, Janis Magnuson, Suzy Sullivan, Carole Stallings, and Karla Starlin.

## YR1961PG053

DEDICATION OF NEW SCHOOL

SYLVIA ENARSON SCHOOL

Miss Enarson with one of the fourth grade classes.

The dedication of Villisca's new elementary building marked one of the highlights of the school year. A contest in all the grades was held in order to find an appropriate name for the building. The name of Sylvia Enarson School was selected from the many entries.

Miss Sylvia Enarson received this honor for her long and dedicated service to the Villisca school system.

#### YR1961PG054

TEEN HAVEN

The Teen Haven Council is made up of two representatives from each class and a group of elected adults. The

group plans all dances following Friday night home football and basketball games. They are working together to establish a recreation center for the students.

#### SCIENCE CLUB

The Science Club was begun two years ago. This year it had a membership of eleven. The officers elected at the first of the year were Mark Palmquist, President; Terry King, Vice-President; Lana Kay McKee, Secretary; and Ronnie Lewis, Treasurer.

#### YR1961PG055

OFFICERS

**DRAMATICS** 

CLUB

From left to right: Kirk Jamison, Vice-President; Suzy Sullivan, Secretary; Nancy Carlson, Treasurer; Michael Veak. President.

**JESTERS** 

Dorothy Ashmore, Michael Veak, and Stephen Sidwell are seen after loading the one-act play props in the trailer, enroute to the pre-district contest at Red Oak, Iowa.

Mrs. Smith, dramatic and speech coach, and Dee Gunderman are discussing contest work. Mrs. Smith, who lives in Clarinda, stays through the supper hour to help with the student's readings and play practices. "THE SHOEMAKER'S WIFE" was this year's one-act contest play. Those students in the play were Michael Veak, Johnnie Posten, and Linda Moser. Dorothy Ashmore was student director and Stephen Sidwell was stage manager.

## YR1961PG057

F.F.A.

This year the FFA chose as their Sweetheart, Suzy Sullivan. She was presented with the traditional Sweetheart jacket and attended the annual Parent-Son Banquet.

#### **OFFICERS**

Left to right Front Row: Phil Madden, Sentinel; Ron Carlson, Secretary; Stan Archer, Treasure; Ron Brown, President; Dean Olander, Parlimentary; Back Row: Clyde Moore, Sponsor; Don Devine, Reporter; Larry Neal, Vice President; Dave Haley, Sentinel.

# YR1961PG058

# **NEWSPAPER STAFF**

The Press Club assumed its name this year and really became a functioning part of the newspaper staff. These are the members of the 1959-60 journalism staff who wished to stay on a second year. The editor is Terry King and business manager is Judith Guthrie, with Miss Burrish as sponsor.

The thirteen members of the journalism class are responsible for writing articles for the newspaper. During the last half of the year, the class takes over the managerial duties of the Volcano.

## YR1961PG059

#### LIBRARIANS

The librarian officers shown above are Miss Gardner, sponsor; Karen Selby, Secretary; Judith Guthrie, President; Barbara Selby, Vice-President; and Dorothy Ashmore, social chairman.

The librarians, under the guidance of Miss Gardner, took care of the VHS library in the study hall.

# OFFICE SECRETARIES

The office secretaries are students who assist Mr. Sullivan, Mrs. Stackhouse, or Mr. Engelbert during study halls and other free periods.

#### YR1961PG060

OFFICE SECRETARY

**IRENE STACKHOUSE** 

CAFETERIA WORKERS

From left to right: GRACE TEN-EYCK EVADNA STACKHOUSE LOLA ODSON MILLIE DOAN

**JANITORS** 

ALVIN ZELLMER

STUART JAMISON

#### YR1961PG061

SPRING

## YR1961PG062

TRACK

#### RETURNING LETTERMEN

The returning lettermen for the 1961 Bluejay track season are from left to right, front row: Danny Units, Dale Wheeler, Larry Branan, Larry Neal; back row: Darle Lindell, Bob Strickland, Stanley Archer. Mr. Tom Engelbert is the track coach.

Bluejay Track Schedule

April 1 Tarkio Relays
April 7 Creston Relays
April 14 Clarinda Relays
April 15 Tiger Relays - Griswold

April 21 Mustang Relays

April 25 Conference Freshmen Sophomores at Clarinda

April 28-29 Drake Relays May 2 Blue Jay Relays

May 9 Conference Meet - Glenwood

May 12 District Track Meet May 27 State Track Meet

## YR1961PG063

# "TOO POOPED TO POP"

Exhausted after a hard day's work are the members of the staff with their sponsor for the first part of the year, Mr. Micheal M. Johanboeke.

ANNUAL STAFF

We would like to express our appreciation for all those who contributed in the making of this annual.

A special thanks to:

Mr. Sullivan

L. A. Moser, photographer

Woltz Studios, Inc., Des Moines and especially to Inter-Collegiate Press of Kansas City, Missouri.

Evelyn Burton - Michael Veak

(Co-editors)

Karen Barker

(Business Manager)

**Dorothy Ashmore** 

Elaine Burton

Nancy Carlson

Terry King

Janis Magnuson

Linda Moser

Carl Peterson

Judy Robinson

Suzy Sullivan

Jim Crouse

Jeanette Marvick

**Howard Weiner** 

Mr. Alan Bishop joined the annual staff as sponsor before the year was half over.

#### YR1961PG064

IF -

If you can keep your head when all about you

Are losing theirs, and blaming it on you,

If you can trust yourself when all men doubt you,

But make allowance for their doubting, too;

If you can wait and not be tired by waiting,

Or being lied about, don't deal in lies,

Or being hated, don't give way to hating,

And yet don't look too good nor talk too wise;

If you can dream and not make dreams your master, If you can think, and not make thoughts your aim, If you can meet with triumph and disaster,

And treat those two imposters just the same; If you can bear to hear the truth you've spoken Twisted by knaves to make a trap for fools, Or watch the things you gave your life to, broken, And stoop and build 'em up with worn-out tools;

If you can make one heap of all your winnings, And risk it on one turn of pitch-and-toss, And lose, and start again at your beginnings, And never breathe a word about your loss; If you can force your heart and nerve and sinew To serve your turn long after they are gone, And so hold on when there is nothing in you Except the will which says to them: "Hold on!"

If you can talk with crowds and keep your virtue, Or walk with kings-- nor lose the common touch, If neither foes nor loving friends can hurt you, If all men count with you, but none too much; If you can fill the unforgiving minute

With sixty seconds' worth of distance run, Yours is the Earth and everything that's in it, And—which is more-you'll be a Man, my Son!"

By Rudyard Kipling

# YR1961PG065

# GRADUATION

Fifty-two seniors took part in the Commencement exercises held on Thursday evening, May 25, 1961. The speaker was Dr. Millard G. Roberts, President of Parsons College, Fairfield, Iowa.

Superintendent, Louis Sullivan presented the graduating class; and Mrs. Ruth Pogue, President of the Board of Education, awarded the diplomas.

Baccalaureate services were held Sunday May 21, 1961. Rev. Paul C. Ellis of Villisca gave the sermon.

#### YR1961PG066

**ADVERTISING** 

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Tom Dodson, Optometrist

Scott's Motor Sale

Alexander Pollock

Sutphen Funeral Home

Modern Beauty Shop

Means Hardware

Green Lantern Cafe

Villisca Farmer Telephone Company

Lane Implement

**Enarson Insurance Agency** 

Sierp Oil Company

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Quality Petroleum

Weiner's Super Market

Town & Country

S. W. Iowa's most complete

Shopping Center

Villisca Monument Works

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Skelly-Distributor-Skelgas

Maytag-Appliances-General Electric

Lee Means Mgr.

**Gunderman Insurance Agency** 

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Insurance-Real Estate

Villisca, Iowa

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Diplomas — Graduation Announcements

Factory — Home Office

Kansas City — Winnipeg

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The Nineteen-Hundred Sixty-two
Annual staff of Villlisca Community Schools

Proudly presents to the students and faculty

#### YR1962PG002

The 1962 YR1962PG003

**BLUEJAY** 

#### YR1962PG004

TRIBUTE TO VHS

The time has come when the class of '62 must finally place aside the books of high school learning and go on to make our own way completely unsheltered for the first time in our lives. We shall always remember you VHS as have the graduates of the past and as will the graduates of the future. You have been our home away from home, a guide during the difficult years, an educator, and most important of all a friend that will be remembered forever and enduringly. You were the one to teach us how to dream and how to make our dreams come true. What we have and what we shall have in the future is but a result of what you have given us through knowledge and insight that only a school that cares can give.

As we, the class of '62 leave your hallowed halls of learning, we leave with a fond memory that will no doubt grow fonder with each passing year. And with this closing thought we leave: TO YOU DEAR ALMA MATER WE PLEDGE OUR ALLEGIENCE.

Co-Editors-Jim Crouse Jeanette Marvick

**Business Manager-Howard Weiner** 

Sponsor-Alan Bishop

#### YR1962PG005

# Dedication

To a friend "who by the Grace of God will be a boy throughout Eternity". Gary died on December 14, 1959, from injuries received in an automobile accident. His enthusiasm for improving our school was shown by the respect of his friends and his participation in school activities. We the Senior Class of 1962 dedicate the yearbook to Gary Gordan Branan.

## YR1962PG006

# Seniors

LEE GOURLEY---F.F.A. 1,2; Secretary 2; Chorus 1,3,4; President 4; Basketball 3; Football 3,4; Track 3; Baseball 3,4; Hi-Y 1-3; Vice-President 3; Secretary 2; Student Council 1,3,4; Treasurer 4; Class President 3,4.

JIM CROUSE---F.F.A. 1-4, Reporter 4; Chorus 1-4, Vice-President 4; Band 2-3, Marching Band 2-3, Pep Band 2-3; Annual Staff 3-4, Co-Editor 4; Science Club 1-2, Treasurer 2; Hi-Y 1-3, Sec'y-Treasurer 3; Teen Haven Council 4, President: Student Council 2-4. Vice-President 4

TOM NISELY---F.F.A. 4; Basketball 1-4; Football 1-3; Teen Haven Council 3; Treasurer 3; Student Council 2; Class Vice-President 2; Class Secretary 4.

CHARLES PETERSON---F.F.A. 1-4; President 4; Chorus 1-4; Voice Solo 2-4; Madrigal 3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Student Council 1-4; President 4; State Cabinet Representative 3,4; Class President 1; Class Treas.4.

## YR1962PG007

BILL ARTERBURN---F.F.A. 1,2; Football 4; Track 1,3; Science Club 2,3.

JIM ASKLOF---Drama 2-4; Chorus 3,4; Mixed Octet 4; Madrigal 4; Boys Quartet 3; All-State 4; Glee Club 2; Band 1; Pep Band 1; Dance Band 1; Marching Band 1; Concert Band 1; Trombone Quartet 1; Annual Staff 4; Basketball 1-4; Football 1,3,4; Track 1; Baseball 3; Science Club 3; Hi-Y 1,2; Student Council 4.

DENNIS BARTZ---Chorus 3,4; All-State 4; Mixed Octet 4; Triple Quartet 4; Madrigal 4; Boys Octet 4; Boys Quartet 4; Basketball 1,3; Baseball 1,3,4.

GENE BECK--- Drama 4; Chorus 3,4; Quartet 4; Boys Quartet 4; Band 1-4; Dance Band 2-4; Pep Band 2-4; Marching Band 2-4; Solo 2-4; Brass Quartet 2; Brass Choir 3,4; Little All-State 3; Trumpet Trio 2; Basketball 1; Baseball 1; Band Council 4.

#### YR1962PG008

#### LARRY BISBEE

NORMAN BROWN---F.F.A. 1-2; Drama 4; Chorus 4, Double Octet 4, All-State Quartet 4, Boys' Octet 4; Band 1-4, President 4, Band Council 3, Brass Quartet 2, Brass Choir 3-4, Solo 1-3, Dance Band 1-4, Marching Band 1-4, Concert Band 1-4, Pep Band 1-4, Little All-State 3, Tall Corn Conference Festival 4, Trombone Quartet 1-2; Basketball 1-4; Baseball 3-4; Hi-Y 1-2; Student Council 3

LARRY BRANAN---F.F.A, 4; Basketball 1-4; Football 1-4; Track 1,2.

LELAND CARMICHAEL---F.F.A. 1-4, Vice-President 4; Drama 2; Chorus 2; Baseball 3; Hi-Y 1

#### YR1962PG009

JANICE COONEY---Y-Teens 1-4; F.T.A. 2-4, Reporter 3; Drama 4; Chorus 1, Girls Glee 1; Band 1-3; Office Secretary 3-4: Pep Club 1

MERLENE DERRY---Y-Teens 1-4; Drama 1,4; Chorus 1; Glee Club 1,2; Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Band Manager 4; Dance Band alternate 2; Band Queen Candidate 4; Pep Band 4; Marching Band 1-4; Little All-State 4; Basketball 1,2; Librarians 3,4; Newspaper Staff 3; Office Secretary 4. JOYCE DOLL - - - Y - Teens 1-4.

RICHARD FRESHOUR--- F.F.A. 4; Football 2.

#### YR1962PG010

MARY FREY---Y-Teens 1,2; Drama 2-4; Thespians 3,4; Glee Club 1; Band 1-4; Quartet 2; Marching Band 2-4; Concert Band 2-4; Pep Band 3,4; Office Secretary 4; F.F.A Queen Candidate 4; Librarians 2; Student Council 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Editor of Volcano 4.

LEE FULTON---F.F.A. 1-4; Football 2-4; Track 1.

CLAYTON GAY---F.F.A. 1-4; Drama 1; Band 1,2; Science Club 1; Wrestling 3.

EUGENE GILLELAND - - - F.F.A. 1-4; Football 2; Science Club 1; Wrestling 3.

## YR1962PG011

MARY LEE GOLAY - - - Y -Teens 1-4; Cabinet 2; F.T.A. 4.

GAYLE HEARD---Basketball 1-4: Football 4: Baseball 1-4.

KIRK JAMISON--- F.F.A. 1-4; Drama 1-4, President 4; Thespians 3-4, President 4, Vice-President 3; Chorus 1-2, Boys Glee 1-2; Band 1, Pep Band 1; Basketball 1-2; Track 1; Football 1-4; Hi-Y 1-3, Chaplain 3; Teen Haven Council 1-2; Student Council 2-4, State Representative 3-4, National Representative 4; Journalism 3, Newspaper Staff 4

DALE JOHNSON - - - F.F.A. 3-4

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BARTON KEMERY---Drama 2,4; Chorus 2-4; Glee Club 2; Band 1-4; Brass Sextet 2-4; Brass Choir 2; Dance Band 1-4; Little All-State 4; Pep Band 2-4; Marching Band 1-4; Concert Band 1-4; Trombone quartet 1,2; Basketball 1-4; Football 1,3; Track 1; Science Club 2

KATHY KERNEN---Y-Teens 1-4.

LILA LANE---Y-Teens 1-3-4; F.T.A. 3-4, Vice-President; Drama 4; Chows 1, Girls Glee Office Secretary 4 WESLEY LEWIS---Science Club 2-4.

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JEANETTE MARVICK---Y-Teens 1-4; Cabinet 3,4; Drama 1-4; Thespians 3,4; Chorus 2-4; Mixed Octet 4; Madrigal

4; All-State 2,4; Solo 3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Annual Staff 3,4; Co-Editor 4; Basketball 1,2; Librarians 2; Teen Haven Council 1,2; Treasurer 2; Student Council 4; Office Secretary 3,4,

NILE McCOY---F.F.A. 1-4; F.F.A. parlimentarian 4; Drama 4; Basketball 1-4; Football 1,3; Baseball 3; Student Council 3,4; Class Vice-President 3.

MARY JANE McFARLAND---Y-Teens 1-4; F.T.A. 2; Drama 1,4; Glee Club 2; Basketball 1; Office Secretary 4; Majorette 2; Class Treasurer 1; Class Secretary 2.

STANLEY MEANS---F.F.A. 1,2,4; Drama 2; Chorus 2-4; Glee Club 2,3; Band 1-4; Clarinet quartet 3,4; Basketball 1,3,4; Hi-Y 1-3.

#### YR1962PG014

EVON MORITZ---Y-Teens 1-4; Drama 2,4; Chorus 2-4; Madrigal 4; Y-Teen Cabinet 3; Glee Club 1-3; Basketball 1; Office Secretary 4.

GERRI NEAL---F.F.A. 1-4; Sentinel 2.

LARRY NEAL---F.F.A0 1-4; Vice President 3; Football 1-4; Track 2-4.

DENNIS NORTHUP---Chorus 2-4; Basketball 1-4; Football 1-3; Track 2,3; Hi-Y 1-3.

#### YR1962PG015

VICKY OLIVER---Y-Teens 1,2,4; Drama 1-4, One at State Contest 3; Thespians 3,4; Chorus 1; Glee Club 1; Annual Staff 4; Basketball 1; Homecoming Candidate 4; Science Club 2; Librarians 2-4; Newspaper Staff 3,4; Manager 4; Science Club President 2; Drama Treasurer 4; Librarians Social Chairman 4; March of Dimes Queen Candidate 4.

NORMA PATTERSON---Y-Teens 1-4; Chorus 2; Basketball 1; Librarians 4.

ELGENE PERRIN---Y-Teens 2-4; Drama 3,4; Librarians 1,2; Future Homemaker of Tomorrow 4.

JOYCE PETERSON---Y-Teens 1-4; Cabinet 2-4; F.T.A. 4; Office Secretary 4.

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PHYLLIS PETERSON---Y-Teens 1-4; Office Secretary 4; Basketball 1; Science Club 2; Librarians 4. LARRY POLSLEY - --Science Club 2.

JOHN POSTEN---F.F.A. 1-2; Drama 3-4, Contest Play 3-4, State Contest Play 3, Class Play 3, Secretary 4; Thespians 3-4; Chorus 1&4, Madrical 4; Band 1-4, Concert Band 1-4, Marching Band 3, Trumpet Trio 2; Annual Staff 4

GAYLE RUSSELL---Y-Teens 1-4; Treasurer 3; Program Chairman 4; Drama 2,3; Glee Club 1; F.T.A. 2-4; Treasurer 3; Band 1-4; Dance Band 2,3; Band Council 2; Marching Band 2,3; Concert Band 1-4; Annual Staff 4; Science Club 2; Librarians 2-4; Secretary 4; Student Council 3; Newspaper Staff 4.

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BARBARA SELBY---Y-Teens 1-4; Cabinet 2,4; Secretary 2; Annual Staff 4; Basketball 1,2; Homecoming Queen 4; F.F.A. Queen 4; Librarians 1-4; TeenHaven Council 4; Student Council 2; Class Secretary 1,3; Class Treasurer 2; Office Secretary 4; Librarian President 4; Vice-Pres. 3; TeenHaven Council Vice-President 4; Basketball Manager 3.

STEPHEN SIDWELL---Drama 1-4, Contest Play 3; Class Play 3-4; Thespians 3-4; Chorus 1; Football 1; Science Club 1-2, Secretary 1

JUDY SMITH---Y-Teens 1,2.

ELAINE STACKHOUSE---Y-Teens 1-4, Cabinet 3; Drama 1-4; Chorus 2-4, Girls Glee 1-3; Band 3, Marching Band 3; Varsity Cheerleader 2-4; Pep Club 1; Office Secretary 4

## YR1962PG018

CAROLE STALLINGS---Y-Teens 1-4; Chorus 1-4; All-State 3,4; Madrigal 4; Double Octet 3; Quartet 3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Band Queen 4; Candidate 2,3; Basketball 1; Homecoming Candidate 4; TeenHaven Council 1; Student

Council 1,4; Secretary 4; Varsity Cheerleader 2-4; Office Secretary 4.

BOB STRICKLAND---F.F.A. 4; Football 1-4; Track 1-3; Class Vice-President 1; Class President 2.

JANETTE TAYLOR---Y-Teens 1-4; Drama 1; Girls Glee 3; Science Club 1

GLEN TEMPLETON---Drama 2; Basketball 4; Football 2.

#### YR1962PG019

JOYCE TEMPLETON---Y-Teens 1-4; F.T.A. 2-4; President 3; Drama 4; Basketball 1,2; Office Secretary 4. DANNY UNITS---F.F.A. 4; Drama 3,4; Chorus 1; Football 1-4; Track 1-3; Science Club 2; Hi-Y 2,3. ROBERT VOGEL---F.F.A. 4.

HOWARD WEINER---Drama 4; Thespians 3,4; Contest Play 4; Chorus 1-4; Boys Octet 3,4; Boys Quartet 1-3; All-State 1-3; Glee Club 1,2; Annual Staff 3,4; Business Manager 4; Basketball 1-4

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DORIS WHITE---Y-Teens 1-4; Cabinet 4; Chorus 1-4; Madrigal 4; Glee Club 1,2; Band 1,2; Brass Choir 2; Science Club 2; Treasurer 2; Newspaper Staff 3,4; Office Secretary 4; Pep Band 1,2; F.F.A. Queen Candidate 4 DAVID WHEELER---Basketball 2.

REX WILHELM---F.F.A. 1-4; Sentinal 4; Chorus 2-4; Solo 3,4; Boys Octet 2-4; Mixed Octet 2; Glee Club 2; Annual Staff 4; Basketball 1-4; Track 1; Baseball 3,4; Student Council 3; Newspaper Staff 4.
Lynn Wirth

KENNETH ZELLMER---Chorus 2-4; Double Octet 3; All-State Quartet 4; Mixed Octet 4; Boys Octet 4; Band 2-4; Marching Band 3,4; Brass Quintet 3; Brass Sextet 4; Solo 3,4; Dance Band 3,4; Pep Band 3,4; Little All-State 4; Science Club 2; Hi-Y 2,3; Newspaper Staff 3,4.

#### YR1962PG021

Prom and Banquet

#### YR1962PG022

Homecoming Queen Barbara Selby

# YR1962PG023

Attendants

Carole Stallings

Dee Gunderman

Vicky Oliver

Mary Lynn Rusk

Judy Gourley

# YR1962PG024

Football

Bob Strickland Fullback All-Conference

Larry Neal Half Back

Lee Gourley End

Kirk Jamison Center

Denny Carlson End

Garry Roberts Guard

## YR1962PG025

Team

Danny Units Half Back Lee Fulton Tackle Jim Asklof Tackle Denny McCoy Guard Ron Chaney Guard Ron Carlson Quarter Back

# YR1962PG028

# **JUNIORS**

R. Peterson	M. Cerven	E. Sunderman	D. Gunderman	T. Agnew
J. Arterburn	C. Ashmore	S. Baker	D. Bales	K. Briggs
P. Brown	R. Carlson	R. Carlson	R. Chaney	T. Cooper
K. Dunn	L. Frazee	R. Gard	P. Garland	C. Gourley
J. Gourley	J. Greenfield	T. Haley	M. Hinkle	S. Jackson
C. Johnson	L. Johnson	J. Johnson	M. Johnson	N. Larson

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E. Lynch	D. McCoy	C. McCuen	C. McKinley	C. Maher
R. Maxwell	C. Means	M. Means	B. Moore	J. Neal
J. Orstad	M. Peterson	M. Peterson	J. Reside	J. Runyon
M. Rusk	L. Schwartz	M. Shields	J. Shough	B. Smith
M. Sparks	J. Spencer	S. Sprague	T. Sprague	D. Stein
T. Ten Evck	K. VeakP. We	bster D. Wh	eeler B. Wil	ls

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# **SOPHOMORES**

M. Palmquist	J. Brannan	K. Scholey	M. Bisbee	B. Bangston
P. Barlow	L. Bickert	M. Bisbee	M. Bryson	D. Carlson
D. Derry	C. Dunn	K. Enarson	L. Ericksor	P. Fryer
V. Graham	T. Haley	D. Heathering	gton G.	Jackson K. Jamison
A. Johnson	K. KraftD. Ker	nen P. Lars	son B.	Lewis
R. Lewis	C. McCuen	S. Madden	D. Means	K. Means

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S. Means	P. Neal	L. Newberg	C. Nordyke	L. Odson
B. Offerman	B. Penwell	E. Perrin	D. Peterson	C. Phillis
D. Quinn	M. Roberts	R. Russell	D. Schrader	S. Selley
H. Shields	E. Shough	L. Stalder	D. Storey	K. Wertman
D. White	J. Zellmer	N. Zellmer		

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#### **FRESHMEN**

D. Sundermar	n J. Parl	khurst G. P	ullen R. Gr	eenfield D.Baker
R. Baker	L. Bangston	V. Blank	J. Boggess	M. Boggess
P. Brownlee	L. Brown	D. Chaney	J. Clark K. Co	oper
J. Day	C. Dresser	J. Embree	C. Fast	C. Fryer
D. Fulton	B. Gourley	D. Guffy	N. Hausen	B. Hendry
D. Hull D. Joh	nson J. Johi	nson L. Jo	hnson B. Ku	hn

#### YR1962PG033

S. Laire D. Lewis D. Loghry J. Loghry S. McCoy P. McKinley C. Marvick K. Merryweather S. Mikller R. Olson N. Quinn L. Roberts D. Penwell L. Perrin G. Roberts J. Robinson C. Rupp R. Rupp D. Scott S. Shields R. Shipley G. Skahill C. Skidmore D. Smith J. Smith D. Spargur J. Sparks R. Sprague J. Strain O. Strait

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L. Sutphen D. Templeton B. Templeton B. Units B. Wagaman M. Winther J. Zellmer D. Roberts

Student Council

The object of the Student Council is to bring all pupils and faculty members into relations of mutual assistance and co-operation in the affairs of school life and to develop and maintain democratice ideals. Some of the special projects that the student council passed were a "Twerp Day" and a "Dress-up Day" once a month. In November they sent out questionaires to all students in high school to get their opinion on the proposed projects and ask for suggestiones. A student lounge projects was started in January and is opened during the noon-hour.

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Mixed Chorus Lee Gourley President Mixed Octet Boy's Octet Phyllis Brown Secretary-treas Jim Crouse Vice-president Madrigal Junior Sextet Freshman Sextet

# YR1962PG036

Y-TEENS To grow as a person To grow in friendship with people of all Mary Lynn Rusk President Nancy Larson Vice-President Dee Gunderman Program Chairman Sharyn Selley Worship Chairman Joyce Peterson Popcorn Chairman Avon Johnson Pianist Lynda Sutphen Freshman Representative Barbara Selby Service Chairman

# YR1962PG037

races, religions, and nationalities To grow in the knowledge and love of God Kaye Jamison Secretary

Mary Cerven Treasurer Mrs. Youngman Sponsor Gayle Russell Program Chairman Judy Spencer Service Chairman Jeanette Marvick Social Chairman Doris White Publicity Chairman Nancy Zellmer Music Chairman Mary Lou Bisbee Popcorn Chairman

# YR1962PG038

Teen Haven Council YOUTH COUNCIL

Mr. Herring Denny Carlson Barbara Selby

Richard Greenfield Pat Barlow Carol Means Earl Sunderman Barbara Wagaman Jim Crouse

ADULT COUNCIL

Judd Means Clark Means Earl Fryer

Dorothy Veak Mary Lou Madden Lois Bryson Evelyn Strain

#### YR1962PG039

**Dramatics Club** 

The Drama Club worked on many projects during the year. They constructed a float during Homecoming that won first place. Some of the projects used for raising money were the annual Valentines Dance, concession stands, and a breakfast. Nine students received one ratings at District Contest. The contest play, "Three On a Bench", also received a one. The juniors and seniors presented their annual play which was "All Shook Up". Thespians

Officers

YR1962PG040 Concert Band

Pep Band

Officers

Marching Band

# YR1962PG041

Concert Band

Officers

Dance Band

Marching Band

# YR1962PG042

Boys' Basketball Team Ray Peterson Center Nile McCoy Center Freshman-Sophmore Squad Bernard Wills Forward Rex Wilhelm Guard

## YR1962PG043

Boys' Basketball Team

Tom Nisely Dennis Northup Forward Jim Asklof Forward Larry Branan Guard

JAYS	OPPONENTS	55
33	Mt. Ayr	
44	New Market	39
43	Shenandoah	70
42	Red Oak	52
47	Clarinda	54
41	Atlantic	63
42	Creston	67
41	Glenwood	62
58	Shenandoah	56
42	Red Oak	49
50	Lenox	46
45	Clarinda	56
45	Corning	64

# YR1962PG044

Girls' Basketball Team Phyllis Brown Guard Kathy Wertman Post Guard Carol Means Guard Mary Lynn Rusk Guard

JAYETTS 17

43

49

34

43 59

35

43

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47 55

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53 43

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Girls' Basketball Team
Dee Gunderman Forward
Marsha Bryson Forward
Myra Lynn Peterson Post Forward
Time out with Coach Engelbert.

# **OPPONENTS**

Mt. Ayr	58
New Market	25
Stanton	41
Bedford	40
Sidney	34
Prescott	43
Lenox	37
Clearfield	52
Mt, Ayr	49
Glenwood	49
Bedford	38
Lenox	45
Walnut	47
Prescott	25
Griswold	53

# YR1962PG047

Cheerleaders

Boy's Basketball and Football Cheerleaders Kaye Jamison, Elaine Stackhouse, Carole Stallings, Kay Veak Girl's Basketball Cheerleaders

Pat Fryer, Donna Penwell, Dianne Sunderman, Candy Dunn

# YR1962PG048

Baseball Team

Villisca 4 Mt. Ayr 16

Villisca 5 Greenfield 8

Villisca 5 Lenox 2

Villisca 9 East Union 6

Villisca 5 Bedford 3

Villisca 7 Mt. Ayr 9

Villisca 5 Stanton 13

Villisca 0 Lenox 8

Villisca 5 Greenfield 8

Villisca 2 Clarinda 5

Villisca 0 East Union 6

Villisca 3 Stanton 1

Villisca 7 Alumni 3

# YR1962PG049

# Track Team

TRACK SCHEDULE

March 31 Tarkio Relays
April 3 Dual Meet - Clarinda
April 13 Cardinal Relays (Clarinda)
April 14 Tiger Relays (Griswold)
April 24 Tall Corn Conference Meet

May 1 Bluejay Relays

May 8 Hawkeye Eight Relays

May 4 Bedford and Mount Ayr (at Bedford)

May 11 District Relays

May 18 Ram Relays (Glenwood)

**Booster Club** 

The Booster Club is composed of men from the community, parents, teachers or any interested people. The main responsibility is providing transportation for students participating in football, basketball and track. The club also makes all plans for the Annual Athletics Banquet given in the spring.

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#### FTA

From left to right: Mrs. Mason, Betty Templeton, Carol Phillis, Dorthy Templeton, Joyce Peterson, Mary Lee Golay, Kathy Wertman, Doris Heatherington, Barbara Bangston, Becky Baker. Front row: Kathy Scholey, Janice Cooney, Joyce Templeton, Lila Lane, and Gayle Russell.

Back row,left to right: Jane Johnson, Mary Jo Hinkle, Diane Derry, Candy Dunn, Merelene Derry, Phyllis Peterson. Second row: Miss Gardner, Mary Jane Johnson, Janette Zellmer, Janet Greenfield Sharon Jackson, Linda Frazee, Norma Patterson, Mary Roberts. First row: Barbara Selby, Carla Ashmore, Gayle Russell and Vicky Oliver.

Librarians

## YR1962PG051

Charles Peterson, F.F.A. President, is congratulating the F.F.A. Sweetheart of 1962, Barbara Selby. Officers

# YR1962PG052

Newspaper Staff

Journalism Class

# YR1962PG053

Office Secretaries

These are the high school girls who help in the

Superintendant's, Principal's, and Athletic Director's Offices

Margaret Larsen

School Board Secretary

Judith Guthrie Principal's Secretary

Irene Stackhouse

Superintendant's Secretary

# YR1962PG054

Janitors

Alvin Zellmer and Don Wirth

This year the Senior Class takes time to pay tribute to Albert "Cappy" Patterson, who has served as long-time custodian of the Villisca Community Schools. "Cappy" started work here when his daughter, Norma, a member of the graduating class, entered first grade. From all who know of him and his fine work we say a warm "Thank you for your service to us."

Cafeteria Workers

Evanda Stackhouse, Mildred Doan, Lola Odson and Grace TenEyck

#### YR1962PG055

Faculty

Doretta Youngman American History Girl's P.T.

George McVicker

Biology

Track Coach General Science Assistant Boy's

Basketball Coach

Football Coach

Earl Herring

Assistant Football Coach Boy's Basketball Coach

American Government American Problems

World History

Tom Engelbert

Althetic Director

Girl's Basketball Coach Boy's P.T. Health

Alan Bishop Advanced Algebra Senior Math

Algebra

**Physics** 

## YR1962PG056

Clyde Moore

Vocational Agriculture

Dean Rounsevell Algebra

**Consumers Math Chorus** 

Duane Johnson

Band

Lila Gardner Librarian

Study Hall

Corrella Mason Home Economics Chemistry

## YR1962PG057

Don Lyle

**English Spanish** 

Florence Burrish Journalism

English

Secretarial Practice

Paul Barker

Typing

Shorthand

Bookkeeping

Max Garrett

Industrial Arts

Geometry

**Guidance Counselor** 

Kim Smith Socialogy

Psychology English Speech

## YR1962PG058

Board of Education

From left to right; Dwight Lewis, Glen Sierp, Margaret Larson, Roy Selley, Ruth Pogue, Louis Sullivan, Fred Bryson.

Administration

Superintendent Louis A. Sullivan

Principal Ralph E. Stotts

# YR1962PG059

**Annual Staff** 

To end our year's eventful work

We thought we would have gone berserk.

Because we were loyal and true,

We have this memorable book for you.

Mary Lynn, Vicky, Jim and Jim, Almost fell and broke their limbs. Jeanette, Rex, Howard, and Ray, Have worked every available day. Barbara, Carla, John, and Gayle, Have slaved until they were pale.

We have combined our efforts through and through, To bring you the Blue Jay Annual of 1962.

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GUNDERMAN INSURANCE AGENCY
INSURANCE-REAL ESTATE
"WE STAND BETWEEN YOU AND LOSS"
VILLISCA, IOWA
ENARSON INSURANCE
FARM INSURANCE
"INSURANCE IS SECURITY"
FARMERS' MUTUAL INSURANCE ASS'N
Secretary-Don Enarson
Ass't Secretary-Tom Enarson
HONEYMAN DRUGSTORE
Visit Our Store For Drugs,
Stationery, Cameras, Or Toilet Articles.
VILLISCA REVIEW
News-Advertising-Printing
76 1-2142
ANDREW'S CLOTHING COMPANY
Villisca and Corning
Everything For
Lad and Dad

TOM DODSON, OPTOMETRIST
76 1-4632
CO-OP SERVICE STATION FEED
FENCING
FERTILIZER
MERLE ODSON MANAGER
There's No Place Like
MARSH MOTEL 76 1-5334
MARSH SERVICE STATION
76 1-5112

# YR1962PG061

Congratulations to the

graduating class

Community Gas

Darnold Salvage Co.

**Dunn's Variety** 

Jamison Shoe Store

Karle Bakery

Lines Central Market

Means Hardware

Moore Brothers

Peter's Garage

Van's Sales and Service

Villisca Telephone Co.

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**INTER-COLLEGIATE PRESS** 

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#### Foreword

1963

Students, we consider it a privilege to help you grow intellectually during your four years in Villisca High School. Through our guidance and your associations with your fellow classmates, we trust you will also develop a sense of loyalty and responsibility that will enable you to reach your highest goals and enjoy life to its fullest extent.

We are proud of past students who have proven their worth in the many fields of endeavor they have chosen. We look to you the classes of '63, '64, '65 and '66 to carry on the tradition of success that we associate with our school.

To you, seniors, we express our thanks for the fine examples you have set for the underclassmen. We hope you will have pleasant memories of your years in V.H.S., and remember that even the "trials and tribulations", have no doubt contributed to your growth as mature individuals.

As you go on to higher accomplishments, our faith in your continued success goes with you.

# YR1963PG005

# Dedication

She has been an effective and capable English instructor, and an untiring sponsor of the Volcano. Not only is she a dedicated teacher, but a helpful friend to her pupils. She constantly strives to instill in them the desire to continue their education after high school. A most admirable trait is her wish to guide each student to become a good and responsible citizen.

With deepest admiration, we proudly dedicate the 1963 Bluejay to Miss Florence Burrish.

## YR1963PG006

RALPH E. STOTTS, H. S. Principal High School Building SYLVIA ENARSON, Jr. High Principal Junior High School Building RUTH HENTSCH, Elementary Principal Lincoln Building VILLISCA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS Louis A. SULLIVAN, Superintendent

VILLISCA. IOWA

Dear parents of VHS Students,

In the early nineteenth century our ancestors initiated a system of education for this country that enabled all children to attend school on an equal basis. The idea was radically new, and to this day, has no equal among the nations of the world. At present, thirteen years of free education are provided. Yes. Free to the children, but not to the adults. The cost of education for all is substantial and we sometimes complain that it is a terrible expense. Is it strictly an expense? Let us consider the position that the people of this country enjoy: in world leadership, in the highest standard of living, in an opportunity to succeed, in the comforts of life, and in the leisure time to enjoy these comforts – to name only a few.

When we consider the returns, we realize that the money spent on our schools is not an expense, but is is one of the most fruitful investments in which the taxpayers of this country engage. Compare with the benefits

enjoyed in other countries that do not have an enlightened populace. It is evident that there is a direct relationship between education and the standard of living enjoyed.

Education will continue to produce returns in relation to the investment. In 1958 the cost of thirteen years of education for all was 3.7 per cent of the gross national product. What do we enjoy today for 3.7%? – education is our most fruitful investment.

Sincerely,

Louis A. Sullivan Superintendent

#### YR1963PG007

Administration

#### YR1963PG008

#### Board of Education

Irene Stackhouse, Secretary; Roy Selley, Ruth Pogue, Fred Bryson, Louis Sullivan, Dwight Lewis and Glen Sierp. The responsibility of providing for the educational program of the community rests upon the Board of Education. A tribute is due the Board for the great amount of time and effort the position requires. Working hand in hand with the superintendent, they are untiring in the pursuit of obtaining the most efficient teachers available.

#### YR1963PG009

Superintendent & Principal

LOUIS SULLIVAN University of Iowa, B.A.; University of Nebraska, Education Masters Superintendent RALPH STOTTS

Iowa State University, B.A. and Masters; Principal and Guidance Counselor

Mr. Sullivan, and Mr. Stotts not only work as superintendent 'and principal respectively, but also do various other services connected with the school system.

Although Mr. Sullivan is rarely seen relaxing, a photographer captured him here as he paused to drink a cup of coffee in the faculty lounge. On occasion Mr. Stotts may be found serving hot lunch when help is short. He was parade marshal for Homecoming. Both work with the rest of the faculty to make VHS the best.

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JACKIE ADAMS

Northwest Missouri State College, A.B. and B.S.; English 9, 11, Chorus, and Girls' Glee

PAUL BARKER

Northwest Missouri State College, B.A.; Typing I, Shorthand, Bookkeeping and Secretarial Practice Assistant Girls' Basketball Coach Sponsor of the F.T.A.

Freshman Class Sponsor

ALAN BISHOP

Iowa State University, B.S. Algebra 9, Advanced Algebra, Physics, Senior Math, and Geometry

Sponsor of the Annual Staff Sponsor of the Science Club

FLORENCE BURRISH

State University of Iowa, B.A. English 9, 10, 11, and 12. Journalism

Sponsor of the Volcano

TOM ENGELBERT Drake University, B.A. Health and Boys' Physical Education

Head Girls' Basketball Coach Baseball Coach

Athletic Director

#### YR1963PG011

LILA GARDNER

Nebraska State Teachers, B.A. Latin I and Library

Sponsor of the Librarians

EARL HERRING

Simpson College, B.A.

World History, American Government,

and Economics

Head Basketball Coach

Assistant Football Coach

Freshman Class Sponsor

**DUANE JOHNSON** 

Nebraska University, B.A Colorado State College, Masters High School Band

Sophomore Class Sponsor

**GEORGE McVICKER** 

Tarkio College, B.S.

Biology

Head Football Coach

Head Track Coach

Assistant Basketball Coach

CORRELLA MASON

Simpson College, B.A.

Iowa State University, Masters Home Economics and Chemistry Sponsor of the F.T.A Junior Class Sponsor

#### YR1963PG012

CLYDE MOORE

Nebraska University, B A Agriculture

Sponsor of the F F A Junior Class Sponsor

CECIL RAWSON

Nebraska State College at Peru, B.A.; Industrial Arts I & II, General Math, Consumer's Math, Geometry

KIM SMITH

Grinnell, BA.

English 9 & 10, Speech, Psychology and Sociology Sponsor of the Drama Club Senior Class Sponsor

DORETTA YOUNGMAN

Warrensburg State College, B.A. American History and Girls' Physical Education

Sponsor of the Y-Teen Club Senior Class Sponsor

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Office Secretaries

Gayle Russell Principal's Office

Irene Stackhouse School Board Office

Judy Guthrie Superintendent's Office

Roberta Dickey School Board Office

Busdrivers

John Frazee, Manager

Mrs. John Frazee Julius March Floyd Marvick Gerald Shipley Jerry Cooper Dale Strait Glen TenEyck Bob

Woodward Laurence Lewis Jim Milligan Art Pullen Darwin Sparks John Kemery

#### YR1963PG014

Our cooks are shown on a typical day at work. They are always doing their best to serve a hearty meal to each

of their "family" of 248. ( from left to right ) Mrs. Clyde Stackhouse, Mrs. Glen Ten Eyck Mrs. Glenn Doan and Mrs Bob Brannan

Our good-natured custodians always seem to be at the right place at the right time

They work hard to make our life at school comfortable and happy --a salute from each of us to you, Earl Selby and Alvin Zellmer

#### YR1963PG015

Seniors

#### YR1963PG016

Class of '63

The Senior Class was sponsored by Mrs. Doretta Youngman and Mrs. Kim Smith.

**DENNIS McCOY** 

"Only one leading lady in his.cast of characters."

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Baseball 1,2; Drama 4; Hi-Y 1,2; Student Council 4, Parliamentarian 4; FFA 1,2,

3,4, Sentenial 4; Class President 4

PHYLLIS BROWN

"Genenally speaking, .she's generally speaking."

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Golf 3; Marching

Band 1,2,3,4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4;

Dance Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3;

Little All State Band 3; Band Council

2,4; Band Secretary 3; Chorus 1,2,3, Secretary 3; Girls' Glee 1,2; Drama 4;

Y-Teens 1.2.3.4: Student Council 1:

Teen Haven Council 2; Office Secretary 3,4; Class Vice President 4; Homecoming Queen 4

MARY K. CERVEN

"Without music, life would be a mistake."

Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Concert Band 1, 2;3,4; Dance Band 3,4; Band Council 1, President 4; Tall Corn

Conference Band 3,4; Little All State Band 3; Flute Trio 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3, Accompanist 3; Girls' Glee 1,2;

Piano Solo I rating 3; Drama 2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Treasurer 3, Council 2,3; Student Council 4; FTA 2; Volcano Staff 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Office Secretary 4; Thespians 4; Class Vice-president 3,Treasurer 4; Class Play 1

RAY PETERSON

"I don't care what has happened--I knew it would."

Football 2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Golf

2,3; Chorus 1,2,3; Boys' Glee 1,2;

Drama Club 3,4; Treasurer 4; Student

Council 3; Volcano Staff 3,4; Annual

Staff 3,4; Class President 3, Treasurer

4; Class Play 3

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TOM AGNEW

"I would study to tive, but not live to study."

Boys' Glee 1,2; FFA 4

JUDY ARTERBURN

"Around this girl never blink; it might be mistaken for a wink."

Chorus 1; Girls' Glee 1; Drama 2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Office Secretary 1,2, 3; Baton Twirling 1,2

CARLA ASHMORE

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."

Chorus 1; Drama 1,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Student Council 2; Librarians 2,3,4; Vice President 3; Social Chairman

4; Volcano Staff 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4;

Business Manager 4; Teen Haven Council 2; Class

Plays 1,3; Thespians 4; Cheerleading 1

SHARON BAKER

"No one has to amuse me, I amuse myself."

Basketball 2; Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4

DONALD BALES ( not pictured )

"Life is too short to hustle"

FFA 4

ROGER CARLSON

"Chase me girls, I'm full of fun"

Baseball 2,3,4; Golf 1,2,3,4; Drama 4; Hi-Y 1,2; Student Council 3; FFA 3,4; Valentine King Candidate 3

#### YR1963PG018

**RON CARLSON** 

"Study is a pasttime. Why overdo?"

Football 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2; Track 1,2; Drama 1,2,3; Hi-Y 1,2; FFA 1,2,

3,4, Secretary 2, Vice President 3; Teen Haven Council 2

RON CHANEY

"I remember a mass of things, but none distinctly."

Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3; Boys' Glee 1,2; Drama 4; Hi-Y 1; FFA 4; Teen Haven Council 4;

Wrestling 2

HAROLD COLTER

"I'm not bashful, you just don't know me."

Band 3,4; Drama 4; FFA 4; Class Play 4 Transfer from Bensen High, Omaha

TERRY COOPER

"School is only knowledge, but a car is transportation."

Basketball 2; Baseball 2,3,4; FFA 1, 2,3,4

KENT DUNN

"The girls like me, but I can't help it."

Boys' Glee 1; FFA 4; Wrestling 2

LINDA FRAZEE

"If I'm not with the boy I love, I love the boy I'm with."

Band 1,2,3,4, Tall Corn Festival 3,4, Little All State Band 3; Chorus 1,2,3, Chorus Sextet 1,2, All State Chorus 3;

Librarians 3,4, Vice President 4; Office Secretary 4

#### YR1963PG019

RALPH GARD

"I really understand women, but I just pretend that I don't because it's alot cheaper that way."

FFA 1.2.3.4

PHILIP GARLAND

"Thinking is the hardest work that there is."

CAROL GILLELAND

"She may be short, but she's long on friends."

Basketball 1,2,3; All State Basketball Honor Roll 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3; Student Council 1; Teen Haven Council 3;

Class Vice President 1

CAROLYN GOURLEY

"No one can enjoy life alone."

Chorus 1,2,3, All State Chorus 3, Sextet 2,3; Girls' Glee 1,2,3; Drama 1,2,3,4,Council 4,Thespians 4; Y-Teens

1,2,3,4, Cabinet 3,4; Volcano Staff 3, 4, Manager 4; Cheerleading 1; Class Play 3,4;Office Secretary

4, Homecoming Attendant 3,4

JUDY GOURLEY

"Every dog has her day, but why must they come so often."

Band 1,253,4, Woodwind Quintet 3; Chorus 1,2; Drama 1,2,3,4, President 4; Thespians 4; Student Council 2,4;

Volcano Staff 3,4; Teen Haven Council 4; Class Play 1,3; Homecoming Attendant 3,4;

Valentine Queen Candidate 3; Office Secretary 3

JANET GREENFIELD

"Play and I'll play with you, study and you'll study alone."

Chorus 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Librarian 1,2,3'

## YR1963PG020

DEE GUNDERMAN

"She will if she wants to."

Band - Concert, Marching, Pep - 1,2,3, 4, Dance Band 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3, 4; Golf 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1; Drama 2,3, 4, Thespians 3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Program Chairman 3; Student Council 4, Secretary 4; Volcano Staff 3,4,

Editor 4; Office Secretary 3,4; Class Vice President 1; Class Treasurer 3; Homecoming Attendant 3; Valentine

Queen Candidate 2

TOM HALEY

"What he wants most out of school is himself."

Football 1,2; Baseball 2,3,4; Track 1; FFA 1,2,3,4, Sentinel 3; Class Treasurer 1,2

MARY JO HINKLE

"Never speak sense when nonsense will serve the purpose."

Chorus 1,2,3,Girls' Glee 1,2,3; Girls' Sextet 1,2,3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Librarian 2,3,4

SHARON JACKSON

"Why not live with yours living, for you may be a long time dead."

Basketball 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Librarians 2,3,4

CHLOE JOHNSON

"A light heart liveth long."

Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4

JANE JOHNSON

"You'll never regret it after you have known her."

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Band - Concert and Marching - 1,2,3,4, Band Council 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Student Council 1;

Librarians 2,3,4, Secretary 4; Office Secretary 4

#### YR1963PG021

LANA JOHNSON

"A maid with a quaint and quiet way."

Basketball 2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Office Secretary 3,4; Homecoming Attendant 4; Track Queen 3; March of

Dimes Queen 3

MARY JOHNSON

"Ready .to Laugh, ready to smile."

Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Librarians 3,4

NANCY LARSON

"The sunshine is red when it shines on het hair."

Chorus 1,2,3, Girls' Glee 1,2, Sophomore Sextet 2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Vice President 3, Cabinet 1,2,3; Student

Council 4; FTA 1,2; Librarians 2,3,4, President 4; Newspaper Staff 3,4, Typist 4; Office Secretary 4; Crisco Home-

making Award 1

ED LYNCH

"A chap who doesn't let studying interfere with his education."

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3; FFA 3,4; Class Vice-President 3

KENNY McCUEN

"If silence were golden, I'd be a millionaire."

FFA 4

CORAL McKINLEY

"A student with one objective - it is yet to be discovered."

Basketball 2; Chorus 1,2,3; Y-Teens 1, 2,3,4

#### YR1963PG022

**CONNIE LU MAHER** 

"I am very prompt at not being on time "

Chorus 1,2; Girls' Glee 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Student Council 4; FTA 3,4, President 3,4; Librarians 3,4; Science

Club 1,2

RON MAXELL

"He's not afraid of work; he can lie down and steep by it."

Football 4; Baseball 4; Golf 2,3,4; Hi-Y 1,2

MARY MEANS

"Fond of fun and merriment; away ready with a smile."

 ${\sf Golf~1,2,3,4; Band~-Concert, Marching~1,2,3,4, Dance~2,3, Pep~1,2,3, Little~All~State~3, Tall~Corn~Conference~3,4;}\\$ 

Chorus 1,2,3; Girls' Glee 1,2; Drama Club 2,3,4, Council 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3, 4; Cabinet 4, Treasurer 4; F.T.A. 2;

Newspaper Staff 3,4; Office Secretary, 4; Thespians 4; Class Play 3

**BOB MOORE** 

"All the great men are dying; I don't feel well myself."

Football 2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Golf 3,4; Drama 1,2,3,4; Student Council 1,2,4; Science Club 1; Class

Play 1; Valentine King Candidate 2

JOHN NEAL

"I dare not be as funny as I am."

Track 4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Vice President 4

JIM ORSTAD

"I am the girls' only weakness."

Football 2; Track 1,2,3,4. Drama 4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Valentine King Candidate 3

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MIKE PETERSON

"The guy with all the gags ."

Basketball 3; Drama Club 2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,4; Class Play 3,4; FFA 1

MYRA LYNNE PETERSON

"Why linger with work when the world is so full of fun."

Basketball 1,2,3; Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4

JERRY RESIDE

"I came. I 4sw. I left."

Football 1,2,4; Basketball 1,2; Track 1,2; Chorus 2,3,4, Boys' Glee 3,4

JOANN RUNYAN

"Let the woad slide; I'll not move an inch."

Band - Marching and Concert - 1,2,3,4, Pep 2, Tall Corn Conference 3, Little All State 4, Flute Trio 1,2,3,4, Flute

Solo 2,3,4, Woodwind Quintet 2,3; Chorus 1,2,3; Girls' Glee 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 3,4,

Typist 4

MARY LYNN RUSK

"Life is a picture; paint it well."

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4, Horn Quartet 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,4, Girls' Glee 4; Drama 2,3,4, Secretary 4,Thesplans 3,4, President 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3, 4,President 3, Cabinet 2,3,4, District Treasurer 3,State Planning Committee 4 Student Council 4; FTA 1; Newspaper Staff 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4, Editor 4; Office Secretary 3; Class Secretary 2; Band Queen 4; Homecoming Attendant 3,4

MARGARET SHIELDS

"Silence is golden, but I'm off the gold standard."

Basketball 3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4, Girls' Trio 4, Girls' Glee 1,2,4; Drama 1,2, 3,4; Y-Teens 2,3,4, Vice President 4; Student Council 2; Newspaper Staff 3, 4, Columnist 4; Annual Staff 4, Art Editor 4; Office Secretary 4;

Thespians 4; Class Plays 3,4

#### YR1963PG024

BOB SMITH

"Casanova's dead, Romeo's gone, but I'm still here."

Football 1; Chorus 1,2,3; Boys' Glee 1; Drama Club 4; Hi-Y 1; FFA 4

MARGARET SPARKS

"Bous disturb me not."

Basketball 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4

JUDY SPENCER

"True to her work, her words, her friends."

Golf 1,2,3,4; Band - Marching, Concert Pep - 1,2,3,4, Little All State 4, Tall Corn 3, Woodwind Quintet 3, French Horn Quartet 1,2,3; Chorus 1,2,3, Girls' Glee 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, President 4 Cabinet 2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 3,4; Student Council 1,4; Annual Staff 4; Office Secretary 4; Member Camp Sunny-side Youth Council 4 TOM SPRAGUE

"No place to go. but in a hurry to get there."

Football 1; Basketball 1,2; Hi-Y 1; Chorus 1; FFA 3,4

DAVID STEIN

"He has a studious face, but looks arte deceiving."

FFA 1,2,3,4, Parliamentarian 4; Chairman Special Activities 3, Scholarship 4

EARL SUNDERMAN

"If the teachers would listen, they could learn a lot from me."

Football 2,4; Boys' Glee 1; Drama Club 4; Student Council 3,4, President 4; Teen Haven Council 3,4, Treasurer 3, President 4; FFA 1,2,3,4, President 4; Class Secretary 3; Class Play 4; Wrestling 2

# YR1963PG025

ROBERT TEN EYCK

"I was caught once - studying."

Football 2; FFA 1,2,3,4

KAY VEAK

"She loves to live, and lives to love."

Golf 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3 4; Newspaper Staff 3,4; Office Secretary 3,4; Thespians 4; Cheerleading 1,2,3, Head Leader 3; Class Plays 1, 3,4, Student Director One-Act Play 3,

Assistant Student Director Jr-Sr Play 3; Chairman March of Dimes 3

PAT WEBSTER

"This girl has occasional flashes of silence."

Basketball 1,2,3; Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4

DALE WHEELER

"I durst not smile upon the damsels I would break too many hearts."

Football 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3,4; Drama 3,4; Hi-Y 1,2; FFA 1,2,3,4, Reporter 4

BERNARD WILLS

"We count on him to raise our score higher." Football 2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Golf 1; Band 1

# YR1963PG026

#### Blue Hawaii

On the night of May 18, 1962, the prom created by the Class of '63 was on display. The flavor of Hawaii was present -everywhere - the room, the decorations, and the table favors. Punch was served from large grass shack in the center of the room. Authentic native lads and lassies (hula lads and hula maids) served each prom-goer with genuine Hawaiian friendliness.

Don't think that the guests were not finely entertained because they were. Authentic native maidens ( Jack, Steve ) entertained the crowd with wild enthusiasm. To add some fun and some embarrassment to the honored guests-the Class of '62 a tropical game - "It Shouldn't Be You" was played.

Guests were still dancing the night away when the chaperones said that the party was over. Special movies at the "Rialto" presented another few hours of entertainment for those who could enjoy it Was the prom a success? - Ask the guests.

#### YR1963PG027

Underclassmen

## YR1963PG028

The juniors had a record magazine sales of \$1962. The ingenuity with which they carried out their prom theme of "Three Coins in a Fountain" is typical of the outstanding quality of work which they have displayed throughout their high school days.

CLASS OFFICERS (from left to right)

 $Linda\ Newberg\ is\ secretary; Jim\ Brannan,\ president;\ Hugh\ Shields,\ vice-president;\ Sharyn\ Selley,\ treasurer.$ 

Pam Ayers Barbara Bangston

Dai Dai a Dai igsti

Pat Barlow

Larry Bickert Mae L. Bisbee

TVIGC E. DISDE

Mary L. Bisbee

Jim Brannan

Marsha Bryson

Dennis Carlson
Dianne Derry

Candy Dunn

Karen Enarson

Louise Erickson Pat Fryer

Vickie Graham

Tom Haley

**Doris Heatherington** 

Gerald Jackson

Kaye Jamison

Avon Johnson

David Kernen Karen Kraft

Paul Larson

Bernie Lewis

#### Ron Lewis

# YR1963PG029

Class of '64

Clarence McCuen

Suzy Madden

Dennis Means

Kenny Means

Stan Means

Patty Neal

Linda Newberg

Craig Nordyke

Linnea Odson

Bev Offerman

Mark Palmquist

**Bob Penwell** 

Ed Perrin

**Duane Peterson** 

Carol Phillis

Dick Quinn

Roselyn Rawson

Mary Roberts

Roderick Russell

Kathy Scholey

Drew Schrader Sharyn Selley

Hugh Shields

Larry Stalder

Delene Storey

Kathy Wertman David White

Janette Zellmer

# YR1963PG030

This class enjoys having fun together. A pizza-party followed by a dance was a highlight of their year. Their float won second prize in the Homecoming parade. They are now established in this school and are making valuable contributions.

CLASS OFFICERS (from left to right)

Garry Roberts is treasurer; Gail Pullen, secretary; Steve McCoy, vice-president; Steve Shields, president.

**Donald Baker** 

Becky Baker

Lynn Bangston

Vicki Blank

John Boggess

Marilyn Boggess

Linda Brown

Pat Brownlee

**Dennis Chaney** 

John Clark

Melvin Colter

Karen Cooper

Janet Day

Carolyn Dresser

Joel Embree

Cathy Fast

Charlotte Fryer

Darrel Fulton

Elzene Gourley

Richard Greenfield

David Guffey

Norman Hausen

David Hull

Dale Johnson

Juanita Johnson

Larry Johnson Barbara Kuhn

Steve Laire

Duane Lewis

Dennis Loghry

## YR1963PG031

Class of '65

Joanna Loghry Craig Marvick Steve McCoy Pauline McKinley Rose Olson

Jack Parkhurst Donna Penwell Larry Perrin Gail Pullen Nancy Quinn

David Roberts Garry Roberts Larry Roberts Joan Robinson Connie Rupp

Richard Rupp Dennis Scott Steve Shields Bob Shipley Jerry Skahill

Darwin Smith Jolene Smith Kathy Solt tennis Spargur Joann Sparks

Dick Sprague Janet Strain Olin Strait Diane Sunderman Lynda Sutphen

Betty Templeton Dorothy Templeton Barbara Units Barbara Wagaman Mary Winther

## YR1963PG032

After weeks of adjustment and many initiations, the class responded to the pace set by upperclassmen. They built a float for Homecoming, contributed to CARE, and had their first class party, a sock-hop. We welcome this class to high school.

CLASS OFFICERS (from left to right)

Linda Taylor is treasurer; Ross Parker, president; Warren Chapman, vice-president; Linda Artlip, secretary.

Becky Alexander Linda Artlip Linda Bales Bill Bangston Douglas Bloom

Ricky Blunt Helen Brannan Sharon Burton John Carmichael Warren Chapman

Mary Clark Dennis Cooney Mearl Coy Christina Delaney Ellen Doll

Mikki Enarson Carolyn Everett Larry Fast John Fengel Linda Fisher

Bob Frey Linda Fryer Gene Gard Fred Gourley Sue Gourley

## YR1963PG033

Class of '66

Jacque Gray Marilyn Greenfield flan Gridley Steven Hatfield Bonnie Holder Bob Hoyt Bonnie Jackson Connie Jackson Barbara Johnson Bob Johnson Danny Johnson Larry Johnson Linda Johnson Barbara Kemery Linda Kendrick Gary Kernen Judy Long Cheryl Marsh Dennis Maxwell Larry Maynes Norma Means Clark Moritz Janet Neal DyAnn Needham John Newberg Jolane Olander Ross Parker Barbara Penwell Shirley Perrin Clarence Peterson

#### YR1963PG034

## Class of '66

Claude Peterson Diane Peterson Linda Robinson Donald Schenk Dianna Scott Jean Shipley Joe Shipley Lydia Sigafus Judy Skahill Jeanne Smith Janet Stein Linda Taylor Beverly Wagaman Linda Weaver Carolyn Webster Susan Wheeler Ann White Tom Wilhelm Janette Wilcoxin Mable Wilson

#### YR1963PG035

Athletics

# YR1963PG036

Varsity Cheerleaders

Yea VHS

This year the Varsity cheerleaders are Kaye Jamison, Donna Penwell, Joan Robinson, Pat Fryer, and Diane Sunderman

The Cheerleaders play an important role in setting the pace of school spirit. They plan and present pep assemblies for the school year. The cheering squad divides its time between football and both girls' and boys' basketball games. The group is an essential part of the VHS Athletic Department.

# YR1963PG037

Booster Club

Although membership in the Booster Club is unglamorous and many times thankless, it nevertheless plays a major role in stirring up enthusiasm in both the parents and community. The officers are Marlin Gunderman, president; Walter Gourley, vice-president; and Willis Marvick, secretary-treasurer.

The club is responsible for the transportation of all players and pep groups to athletic events. The football players are grateful to the booster club for sponsoring a trip to Ames to a football game. A show of appreciation is long overdue the booster club members for the fine work and enthusiasm they have displayed. Junior Varsity

Cheerleaders

Karen Cooper, Becky Alexander, Barbara Penwell, Becky Baker and Janet Strain compose the Jr. Varsity squad. This group combines their efforts with the Varsity to add pep and enthusiasm to both girls and boys basketball games.

# YR1963PG038

# Boys' Golf

The boys on the golf team won one of the three tournaments they entered, a dual meet with Bedford. Ray Peterson, Craig Nordyke, Bob Moore and Mark Palmquist lettered as a result of this victory. Pictured are (Kneeling) Bob Moore Ray Peterson, Roger Carlson (Standing) Ron Maxell, Mark Palmquist. Jim Asklof and Craig Nordyke are not shown. Mr. Engelbert sponsored the boys

Girls' Golf

The girls' team finished the season successfully by taking second place in the District Tournament in Atlantic. Because of conflicts with schedules, the girls were unable to make their bid for a victory in the Sub-State Tournament. The trophy pictured here was awarded in Atlantic to the five below. Mrs. Youngman sponsors the group - Judy Spencer Lynda Sutphen, Kay Veak, Mary Means, and Dee Gunderman. Only girls participating in District play are shown.

#### YR1963PG039

Pictured are (standing) Leland Carmichael, Tom Haley, Norman Brown, Dennis Bartz, Bob Penwell, (kneeling) Jerry Skahill, Warren Chapman, Bob Johnson, David Kernen, and Bill Bangston

Not pictured are Jim Asklof, Denny Carlson, Terry Cooper, Joel Embree, Laurent Gourley, Gayle Heard, Mark Palmquist, Craig Nordyke, Richard Rupp, and Drew Schrader

Villisca	7	New Market	1	
Villisca	6	New Market	7	
Villisca	5	Mt. Ayr	2	
Villisca	5	Lenox	11	
Villisca	2	Greenfield	6	
Villisca	1	Bedford	4	
Villisca	3	East Union	11	
Villisca	2	Mt. Ayr	12	
Villisca	5	Clarinda	7	
Villisca	1	Lenox	3	
Villisca	8	Greenfield	6	
Villisca	5	East Union	6	
Villisca	0	Bedford	11	
Villisca	8	Alumni	7	
Villisca	1	Stanton	6	

It will be sometime before we forget such colorful baseball personalities as the "Nodaway Boys" Leland Carmichael, Gayle Heard, and Denny Bartz. Their talkative spirit and fine talent kept the morale of the Jays high through the season although the record shows only five victories in fifteen starts. We also salute Lee Gourley, another top player, who left for the Air Force Academy early in the season. His energetic spirit and good sportsmanship set a fine example for upcoming baseballers.

The winning record of the freshman-sophomore team leaves hopes of many fine seasons to come. Pictured are (standing) Jerry Skahill, Warren Chapman, Bill Bangston, Gary Kernen and Phil Wertman, (kneeling) Joe Shipley, Bob Johnson, Fred Gourley, and Mike Dukes.

#### YR1963PG040

The 1962 football season showed improvement over previous years. In his second year as head football coach, George McVicker guided his team to a 1-1-7 season making them tied for fourth place in the first year of Tall Corn Conference play. Hopes are high for the season next fall for nearly all the players are returning. HOME OPPONENTS

0	Griswold	45
0	Mt. Ayr	31
13	Lenox	0
6	Greenfield	20
6	East Union	6
0	Bedford	53
0	Clarinda	32
0	Glenwood	47
12	Corning	46

A pre-season scrimmage was held fo/ the public September 7 on the Bluejay field. Preceding the scrimmage, plays were demonstrated and some of the rule: were explained.

# YR1963PG041

Craig Nordyke Center

Introduced this year were awards for the outstanding defensive and offensive players of the game and of

the season. The players were chosen by a committee of the coaches and men of the community. All-season awards went to juniors Denny Carlson, end, for defensive play and Hugh Shields, fullback, for offensive work. Scorers for the Bluejays were Hugh Shields with thirteen points followed by Bob Penwell, Denny Carlson, and Jim Brannan, each with six, which gave the team a total of 31 points for the season.

Joel Embree Right Halfback

Jim Brannan Left Halfback

Rod Russell Guard

Garry Roberts Guard

Not Pictured

Dick Quinn Tackle

Larry Fast Fullback

**Hugh Shields Fullback** 

**Bob Penwell Quarterback** 

George McVicker Coach

Steve Shields End

Steve Silielus Elic

Darrell Fulton Tackle

Denny Carlson End

#### YR1963PG042

And to our coaches ....

A derby from Derby...

National Ram Wrecking Week

O.K. men. Let's get tough......

Pondering the winning play

The spirit and sportsmanship demonstrated by VHS coaches was an excellent example to all who participated in

sports during the 1962-63 season. Win or lose, they have continued to give to their teams the same high quality leadership.

Mr. McVicker, Mr. Herring, and Mr. Barker have all been outstanding players on Villisca's town team. The team is a member of the Southwest Iowa Independent Basketball League and at the time the annual went to press, they led the league with a 7-1 record. The Harlem Magicians claimed the only victory from our Villisca All-Stars.

The devotion by the coaches to the boys' and girls' athletic departments won the constant admiration of the school and community. The high standards by which they live demonstrates the VHS coaches as a tribute to their profession.

# YR1963PG044

VARSITY

Mrs Youngman

Chaperone

Mr Engelbert

Head Coach

Suzy Madden

Manager

Barbara Wagaman Gail Pullen Jolane Olander Kathy Wertman Sharyn Selley Marsha Bryson Mary Lynn Rusk Dee Gunderman Phyllis Brown Margaret Shields Jane Johnson Lana Johnson SENIORS

Mary Lynn Rusk Dee Gunderman Phyllis Brown Margaret Shields Jane Johnson Lana Johnson

VILLISCA		OPPONENTS			

40	East Union	45
53	Stanton	44
41	Bedford	45
50	East Union	44
55	Sidney	34
37	Lenox	43
34	Clearfield	44
22	Mount Ayr	43
38	Fremont-Mills	41
42	Anita	45
22	Mount Ayr	35
28	New Market	44
48	Bedford	20
66	Riverton	20
49	Lenox	34
39	Bridgewater-Fontanelle	38
70	Riverton	25
33	Bedford	48
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SUBS

Mr. Barker

Assistant Coach Jacque Gray Lynda Sutphen Cheryl Marsh

Sue Gourley

Mae Bisbee

Suzy Madden

Manager

Vickie Blank Barbara Kemery Shirley Perrin Joan Sparks Linda Brown

Linda Johnson Gail Pullen Linda Artlip Jolane Olander Mable Wilson Barbara Wagaman

Although the season shows a record of only 8 wins and 10 losses, it was far from uneventful. The Jayettes ended the year tied for third place with Bedford in the Tall Corn Conference. Villisca was the only team to beat the Conference Champs, East Union. Highly-rated Anita squeaked by the Jayettes in an invitational tournament at Cumberland-Massena. The team boasted a strong defensive court comprised of Kathy Wertman, Phyllis Brown, Lana Johnson, and Mary Lynn Rusk.

These freshmen were cooking in the Home Economics room when the pictures were taken.

Judy Skahill Linda Fryer Linda Fisher Norma Means

#### YR1963PG046

VARSITY

Mark Palmquist Rod Russell Craig Nordyke Hugh Shields Drew Schrader David Kernen

Mr. Herring

**Head Coach** 

Bob Moore Denny Carlson Ray Peterson Bernie Wills Ed Lynch Bob Penwell

PLAYER		Field	Field Goals			Throv	VS	Total	Reb.
		M	Α	Pct.	M	Α	Pct.	Points	
B.	Wills	107	225	47.5	91	144	63.1	305	272
R.	Peterson	51	110	46.3	47	85	55.3	149	126

E.	Lynch	40	98	40.8	31	53	58.4	111	75
В.	Penwell	41	118	34.7	27	44	61.3	109	53
B.	Moore	36	108	33.3	13	32	40.6	89	52
D.	Carlson	18	72	25.0	20	35	57.1	56	102
D.	Schrader	5	19	26.3	5	6	83.0	15	14
D.	Kernen	2	20	10.0	8	13	61.0	12	12
C.	Nordyke	1	6	16.0	1	7	14.0	3	4
R.	Russell	1	5	20.0	0	2	00.0	2	2
S.	Shields	3	5	60.0	0	0	0.00	6	3
M.	Palmquist	2	6	33.0	2	7	23.0	6	6
C.	Marvick	2	3	66.0	2	2	100.0	6	2

Defensive average - 46

Offensive average - 50

Won 8 Lost 11 Fourth in Tall Corn Conf.

SENIORS

**Bob Moore Ray Peterson** 

Bernie Wills Ed Lynch

**JUNIORS** 

Bob Penwell Drew Schrader

Denny Carlson David Kernen

# YR1963PG047

#### READY FOR ACTION!

VILLISCA	OPPONENTS	
46	Corning	49
33	Mount Ayr	84
42	Lenox	41
37	Clearfield	54
60	Greenfield	52
51	Stanton	53
34	Fremont-Mills	78
32	East Union	47
45	New Market	27
50	Bedford	68
35	Mount Ayr	50
55	Lenox	44
81	Greenfield	59
48	Bridgwater-Fontanelle	30
35	East Union	43
49	Bedford	56

SUBS

Gary Kernen Danny Johnson Larry Johnson Dennis Maxwell Ricky Blunt Torn Wilhelm Bill Bangston Bob Frey Joe Shipley

Corky Moritz Craig Marvick Steve Shields John Newberg Jerry Skahill

Warren Chapman Dave Hull Dick Sprague Bob Johnson

Mr McVicker

**Assistant Coach** 

# YR1963PG048

#### Track

Coach George McVicker reports there was qualified material returning to the cinders this track season with lettermen Bob Moore, Bernie Wills, Ron Chaney, Bob Penwell, Jim Brannan, Steve Shields, David Guffey, Richard Rupp, and Steve Laire.

Some larger meets the team participated in were:

Tri-State Track Meet April 6
Cardinal Relays April 9
Mustang Relays April 19
Tall Corn Conference Meet April 23
BLUEJAY RELAYS APRIL 30
Trojan Relays May 3
April 6 April 9 April 19 April 23 APRIL 30

Intramurals

**BANDITS** 

Intramural basketball, designed for boys who would not otherwise participate in this sport, was instigated during the school year by a group of senior boys with the aid of the administration. Mr. Engelbert volunteered to help them keep the program running smoothly. 45 players volunteered to do their best in the five-game series which extended through January and February. Six teams were assembled. At the time the annual went to press the team standings were:

BALL HOGS 2-1
REBELS2-1
WHEELS 1-2
VICTORS 1-2
ROADRUNNERS 0-3

High scorers after three games

3-0

were:

Roger Carlson 31 Dick Quinn 26 Steve McCoy 21

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Activities

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(left to right) (standing) Diane Sunderman Linda Newberg Bobby Moore Mr. Stotts Earl Sunderman Denny McCoy Steve Shields Carolyn Gourley Judy Gourley Denny Carlson Kaye Jamison Mary Lynn Rusk Nancy Larson Mary Cerven Judy Spencer

(left to right) (seated) Jim Brannan Clark Moritz Ross Parker Dee Gunderman

(not pictured) Connie Maher

Student Council

The student council is a vital part of high school and serves in an advisory capacity to the principal, giving insight into school related problems from the students'

point of view The morale, goals, and ideals of the school are influenced and affected by the efforts and conduct of the student council

Under the leadership of the

president, Earl Sunderman, many

improvements have been made in the school The success of the Football Homecoming parade can be attributed largely to their outstanding organizational efforts

This year the parade was bigger and better

than any previously. They purchased a record player in conjunction with the teen haven council It is used in the student lounge and also at teen haven dances. Improving the appearance of the student lounge has been their year-long project The room was painted, new curtains hung, and furniture added.

The students of Villisca High School owe a great deal to the council for the many services it has rendered to this school.

The officers of student council are pictured around the candy bar machine, a project of last year's members. (from left to right) Kaye Jamison, treasurer; Dee Gunderman, secretary; Denny Carlson, vice-president; Denny McCoy, parlimentarian; Mr. Stotts, sponsor, and Earl Sunderman, president.

#### YR1963PG051

ADULT BOARD

(standing)

Wilson Wilhelm Marlin Gunderman Clark Means Earl Fryer Harold Robinson

(seated)

Wilma Embree Dorothy Johnson Dorothy Veak Lois Bryson

Teen Haven Council

The Teen Haven Council has accomplished much towards fulfilling its goal of providing clean recreation for teen-agers Duties include keeping the building neat, maintaining order at dances, and buying new records. Improvements on the rules of conduct have been made. A record player was purchased jointly with the student council and additional booths were installed.

A favorable aspect of Teen Haven's new location is the consistently good crowds which have attended dances all this year.

The adult officers are Lois Bryson, president; Wilma Embree, secretary; and Clark Means, treasurer.

Student leadership has been provided by Earl Sunderman, president; Mark Palmquist, vice-president; Donna Penwell, secretary; Judy Gourley, treasurer; and Earl Herring, sponsor

STUDENT BOARD

Norma Means Fred Gourley Mark Palmquist Mae Louise Bisbee Earl Sunderman Judy Gourley Ron Chaney Donna Penwell David Hull Earl Herring

# YR1963PG052

Band

The Villisca Bluejay Band has a new look this concert season. In the picture it can be seen that only the boys are wearing uniforms, and that the girls are wearing good dresses. This came about because of the great number of freshmen that came into the band this year Because of a uniform shortage, the present style is seen At later concerts the boys may be viewed in dark suits.

A goal of this band was reached last year for the first time - a I rating at State Contest The band is working hard for a repeat performance and another bronze plaque with which to decorate the band room. Mary Cerven is president of the VHS band. ( standing ) Clark Moritz, freshman representative; Phyllis Brown, senior representative; and Donna Penwell, sophomore representative. ( seated ) Kaye Jamison secretary, and Delene Storey, junior representative.

#### YR1963PG053

Although the marching band did not participate in State Contest, it was by no means idle. Villisca participated in the Band Day of Iowa State, the homecoming of Maryville, and the Band Jamboree at Clarinda. Besides these activities, the band presented half-time shows at all but one home football game, and had a special program for Homecoming festivities here in Villisca.

The drum major for this year is Drew Schrader. Drew is in charge of the band during all performances and during all practices.

Members of the band sold pumpkins at Halloween time to earn money for a party. They decided to use this

money for bus fare to Omaha to see one of the outstanding movies showing there. The group attended "Mutiny on the Bounty"

# YR1963PG054

The Pep Band is in charge of boosting team and school spirit at football and at basketball contests Without the faithful service of these students, a great deal would be missing from the enthusiasm now displayed by the high school crowd

Dance Band is a select group of musicians They play for dances at this high school, or for any one who contacts

During Thanksgiving vacation they sponsored a dance for the school and its alumni A large number were in attendance, and a good time was had by all

Freshman initiation was a highlight of the band year The seniors were all girls, but one - Harold Colter (Pictured in wig and robe). Jolane Olander didn't like her lizard! Mr and Mrs. Johnson are not behind the times: Danny and Clark-What are you doing? How does Barbara Penwell get so many things in her purse?

#### YR1963PG055

#### Chorus

Even though the chorus presented a Christmas program for the student body and participated in contest, the highlight of the year occurred May 7 when they presented "Babes in Toyland."

DIRECTOR Jackie Adams

STUDENT DIRECTOR-Margaret Shields CHOREOGRAPHER Lenore Nordyke ACCOMPANIST Mary K. Cerven STAGE MANAGER Shirley Perrin "BABES IN TOYLAND" CAST (Leads) HILDA Linda Frver

JACK Fred Gourley JILL Kathy Scholey

**BO PEEP** Charlotte Fryer BARNABY Jerry Reside TOM Craig Nordyke WIDOW PIPER Marilyn Boggess

GONZORGO Linda Taylor RODERIGO Lydia Sigafus

JANE Mary Lynn Rusk

ALAN Steve Laire

CONTRARY MARY Linda Newberg

FAIRY QUEEN Cathy Fast

MARMADUKE Roselvn Rawson

Tom Wilhelm **GRUMIO** 

MASTER TOYMAKER--Margaret Shields

Mrs Adams headed the high school vocal department She also directed the operetta Mrs Leland Brown of Bedford worked with the group during the absence of Mrs Adams

## YR1963PG056

# Drama Club

The officers of the Drama Club are (standing) Bev Offerman, junior representative; Jack Parkhurst, sophomore representative; Jolane Olander, freshman representative; (seated) Carolyn Gourley, senior representative; Ray Peterson, treasurer; Mary Lynn Rusk, secretary; Judy Gourley, president; Sharyn Selley, vice-president; Dee

Gunderman, clerk; and Mary Means, senior representative.

Thespians

Villisca High School is a chartered member of the National Thespian Society. The nine senior girls who compose the membership are (standing) Mary Lynn Rusk, Mrs. Kim Smith, sponsor, Judy Gourley, Dee Gunderman, Carolyn Gourley, and Kay Veak. Seated are Margaret Shields, Mary Cerven. Carla Ashmore, and Mary Means.

#### YR1963PG057

PREPARE FOR DISTRICT

PLAY CAST MINUS EARL SUNDERMAN

POOR OLD "SANTA"

An active year was spent by the fifty-five students that composed the Drama Club membership. The Drama season was highlighted by the production of

three plays. "A Christmas Heart" was

given for the student body in December. "A Petal in the Dust" was the club's contest play. For the junior-senior play a large cast performed in "Tammy Tell Me True." Nineteen individuals entered the Southwest Iowa District Speech contest in February. Participation in the annual Drama Workshop in Iowa City in April was one of the club's goals. Their objective to attend a dramatic production as a group saw fulfillment in the spring.

## YR1963PG058

Y-Teens

The Y-Teen goals--to grow as a person; to grow in friendship with people of all races, religions, and nationalities; and to grow in the knowledge and love of God have all been effectively carried out throughout the year under the guidance of the sponsor, Mrs. Youngman, and president, Judy Spencer.

The Y-Teen year began in the summer when four delegates attended summer conference. Mary Lynn Rusk was elected to the 1963 planning board committee.

Freshman initiation, including a weiner roast and skits performed by the new members, was held in September. In October the Y-Teens sponsored a UNICEF drive and netted \$104. An enlightening talk on charmits physical, mental, and spiritual aspects-was given by Mrs. Marcus Aurelius.

Adopting a girls' ward at the Glenwood State School was a highlight of the year. The patients were remembered by gifts and cards on holidays and Y-Teens provided them with an afternoon's special entertainment in the spring. The Dad-Daughter event was devoted to the repairing of old toys. These toys were presented as gifts to children at the Kiddie Party and to several families in the community.

A better understanding of the functions of our state government was gained by the girls when they attended Legislative Day in Des Moines. Participation in the Foreign Student Weekend served to broaden their views of people of other races.

Y-Teen mothers were honored by a Mother-Daughter Tea which was held in the spring. At this time officers for the following year were installed.

New friends, new experiences, and new opportunities are the rewards of Y-Teen membership.

Y-Teen cabinet members are the following: (standing) Mary Lynn Rusk, program; Diane Sunderman, worship; Connie Rupp, service; Elzene Gourley, program; Linda Newberg, publicity; Janette Zellmer, popcorn; Linda Kendrick, freshman representative; Mrs. Youngman, sponsor; (seated) Mary Roberts, service; Carolyn Gourley, social; Mary Means, treasurer; Judy Spencer, president; Margaret Shields, vice-president; Sharyn Selley, secretary; Kaye Jamison, music.

# YR1963PG059

UNICEF

Legislative Days

Lecture by Mrs Gilleland on hair care and styling

World Fellowship St Patricks' Dance Foreign Student Weekend Prepare for Christmas

#### YR1963PG060

David Roberts's FFA project
"Mary?" had a little lamb! FFA project
Dave Stein's FFA project
Flag and flag pole were purchased for Athletic field.
Pigs from FFA Gilt Chain kept by Gerald Jackson
FFA Gilt
"Yum..Yum.'Yum"
Calf Show at Red Oak
FFA Motto

# Living to serve YR1963PG061

Learning to do

Doing to learn

Earning to live

Future Farmers of America

The Reno Smith Chapter of the FFA was very active in the past year. Members attended the National Convention at Kansas City, State Convention at Waterloo, and District Convention at Harlan.

Special projects included capturing and selling 560 pigeons, raising and releasing 450 quail, and selling \$300 worth of garden seed. Approximately fifty samples of seed were tested as a service for the farmers of this community. A flag pole and flag for the athletic field and a camera to record the activities

of the chapter were purchased.
A swimming party and watermelon feed were held to entertain incoming freshmen members and to acquaint them with the club and its procedures. Members participated in a club hayride in the fall. The election of the FFA Sweetheart was an important event in the club's activities. She was later honored at the parent-son

It is evident that the FFA members have successfully fulfilled their aim of building leadership, character development, sportsmanship, cooperation, service thrift, scholarship, improved agriculture organized recreation, citizenship and patriotism.

Here the FFA officers are shown admiring a picture given to the chapter by Mrs. Pogue. Richard Greenfield is secretary Dale Wheeler, reporter; Denny McCoy, sentinel; Mr. Moore, sponsor; David Stein, parlimentarian; Denny Carlson, treasurer; Darrell Fulton, sentinel; Earl Sunderman, president; John Neal, vice-president.

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Villisca Volcano

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Manager Carolyn Gourley

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Journalism Class — Marsha Bryson, Karen Enarson, Kaye Jamison, Avon Johnson, Ron Lewis, Susan Madden, Mark Palmquist, Delene Storey, and Kathy Wertman.

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Mr. Bishop

**Annual Staff** 

From early August, the Annual Staff was hard at work to bring the students of VHS an annual that they could be proud to own. All snapshots and ideas contributed were greatly appreciated.

Acknowledgements

WE, THE ANNUAL STAFF, WISH TO EXPRESS OUR THANKS -

To Villisca Merchants for their ads

To the administration for its backing

To Mr. Sullivan for his message

To Mrs. Youngman for her "Foreword"

To the custodians for their patience

To VHS students for their co-operation

To Photographers L. A. Moser Woltz Studio Inter-State Studio

To Inter-Collegiate Press, who prints our Yearbook

AND

To all other people who made this publication possible.

The Staff would like to give a big "Thank You" to our sponsor, Mr. Bishop, for his help and guidance.

#### YR1963PG064

Librarians

Librarian officers for the year are Carla Ashmore, social chairman; Jane Johnson, vice-president; Linda Frazee, secretary; and Nancy Larson, president Miss Gardner is the sponsor

**Future Teachers of America** 

The Future Teachers have gained knowledge at conferences and by doing classroom teaching. (standing) Connie Maher, president; Doris Heatherington, secretary; Dorothy Templeton, historian (seated) Kathy Scholey, vice-president; Carol Phillis, treasurer. Mrs. Mason and Mr. Barker sponsor them.

## YR1963PG065

**Future Scientists of America** 

The purpose of the Future Scientists is to promote interest in science and to develop potential in this area. Several pupils completed interesting projects. John Boggess constructed a computer. Ron Lewis collected and studied rocks and fossils. Hugh Shields built a wind tunnel. A graduate student from Iowa State University stimulated interest by giving a Brainiac K-30 computer to the club for only the cost of postage. Under the capable leadership of President, Ron Lewis; Vice-President, Rod Russell; Secretary, John Boggess; and sponsor, Mr. Bishop, it is very apparent that the boys derived benefit from their projects.

Office Secretaries

Nancy Larson Jane Johnson Delene Storey Kathy Scholey Mary Means

Lana Johnson Linda Newberg Judy Spencer

Margaret Shields Phyllis Brown Marsha Bryson Kay Veak

Mary Means Nancy Larson Mary K. Cerven Linda Frazee Carolyn Gourley

The role of the office secretary is surprisingly varied. Teachers agree that no task is too menial to be placed upon the shoulders of the secretary. They may be seen doing anything from typing programs to scrubbing floors.

#### YR1963PG066

A girl in every port
You Send Me
"HICCUP:"
Happy Birthday Earl
The morning after the night before.
Swing Low Sweet Chariot
Mary, Mary, quite contrary.
The Thinkers?
It's Only Make-believe!

#### YR1963PG067

Social

#### YR1963PG068

JUDY GOURLEY MARY LYNN RUSK CAROLYN GOURLEY LANA JOHNSON PHYLLIS BROWN

The 1962 Bluejay Homecoming celebration began with the traditional bonfire and snake dance, Thursday, October 11. On Friday, October 12, -the parade coronation, football game, and dance-were held.

The parade took place in the afternoon with fifteen floats and many individual entries competing for top prize. Prize winning floats were the Senior Class, Sophomore Class, FFA, Annual Staff and Volcano Staff. Money for the building of floats and for the prizes was donated by the Chamber of Commerce. Prior to the parade, the merchants sponsored a barbeque for the community in the city park.

Highlight of the evening was the coronation of the Homecoming Queen, Phyllis Brown. She was crowned by Denny McCoy and escorted by Tom Haley. Her attendants were Carolyn Gourley, Escort Denny McCoy; Judy Gourley, Escort Ron Chaney; Lana Johnson, Escort Ed Lynch; Mary Lynn Rusk, Escort Jerry Reside.

The game ended in a 6-6 tie with East Union.

The Homecoming Dance,"Autumn Leaves" put on by the Annual Staff, climaxed the evening. The recoronation and a program were presented.

Though the week of Homecoming was a hectic one, it is one of our treasured memories of high school. The hard work and lack of sleep are soon forgotten and only the memories of a wonderful day stay.

#### YR1963PG070

Basketball Homecoming

VHS held its first basketball homecoming January 25. In accordance with the theme "1984", a "National Hate Week" was proclaimed. Special attractions included "Pat" of Science Fiction Theater (Mary K Cerven), who served as hostess, and "The Greasy Kid Commercial." "Pat" and her assistant, "Fifi" (Ray Peterson), handled the-drawing of the door prizes, compliments of the Annual Staff.

1984

March of Dimes

Kathy Wertman and Dennis Carlson represented Villisca High School as queen and king candidates at the

March of Dimes dance held in Red Oak January 12.

As co-chairmen from Villisca Kathy Wertman and Karen Enarson were very active in the Montgomery county T A.P (Teen Age Project) committee. The girls organized a blockade to raise money and were aided by several VHS students. The money collected aids in research concerning birth defects, arthritis, and polio epidemics

#### YR1963PG071

# **CANDIDATES**

Elaine

Stackhouse Mary Lynn Rusk Mary L Bisbee Donna Penwell Lana Johnson Joan Robinson Suzy Madden Gayle Russell

Track Queen

Lana Johnson was crowned track queen at a special ceremony during the 1962 Bluejay Relays May 1. Two candidates from each class were nominated by members of the track team. The entire student body voted to select Queen Lana. Escorts were Bob Strickland, Ron Chaney, Dale Wheeler, Jim Orstad, Dave Stein, Ed Lynch, Steve McCoy, and Jerry Reside.

Band Queen

Villisca High School's 1962 queen entry at the Clarinda Band Jamboree was Mary Lynn Rusk. Representatives from the band nominated six girls on the basis of beauty, poise, and personality. The candidates were Mary Lynn Rusk, Judy Gourley, Lana Johnson, Sharyn Selley, Joan Robinson, and Donna Penwell. Mary Lynn was chosen from this group by vote of all members of the band. She brought credit to our school by being judged one of the finalists in the contest.

#### YR1963PG072

FFA Sweetheart

The 1963 FFA Sweetheart is Lana Johnson. Earl Sunderman presented the traditional FFA Sweetheart jacket to Lana in February at a special assembly of the student body. In March, as an honored guest at the Parent-Son Banquet she received a FFA necklace.

FFA members chose her from a group of fourteen senior girls on the basis of morality, character, citizenship, scholarship, personality, and appearance. All candidates were nominated for the award by junior and senior FFA members. The candidates were Phyllis Brown, Mary K. Cerven, Linda Frazee, Dee Gunderman, Chloe Johnson, Jane Johnson, Lana Johnson, Mary Johnson, Nancy Larson, Mary Means, JoAnn Runyan, Mary Lynn Rusk, Margaret Shields, and Judy Spencer.

It is believed that the honor is an incentive for high school girls to maintain high standards and morals.

#### YR1963PG073

King and Queen of Hearts

Mary Means and Jack Parkhurst were crowned King and Queen of Hearts at the Valentine Dance held February 9, and reigned over the evening's entertainment. Other candidates included seniors, Mary K. Cerven, Ray Peterson, and Bob Moore; juniors, Pat Barlow, Mary Lou Bisbee, Drew Schrader, and Bob Penwell; sophomore Donna Penwell; and freshmen, Norma Means, and Bob Johnson.

The program consisted of a skit entitled "What's My Line" starring Mark Palmquist as Dan Cupid, "Let Me Call You Sweetheart" sung by Mary Lynn Rusk and David Hull, and a girls' trio composed of Margaret Shields, Kathy Scholey, and Mary Lynn Rusk singing "Make Believe."

# YR1963PG074

50 Years of Growth

All Villisca children begin their education at the Lincoln Building, constructed in 1902. Originally, it held grades 1-8, but today kindergarten, firt and second grade attend there.

Villisca first reorganized their school district in 1957. July 1, 1959, the district was enlarged with the

consolidation of Villisca and Nodaway. Grades 5-8 now attend school at the Nodaway schoolhouse. 1963 marks the 50th year since the founding of Villisca High School in 1913. Soon the crowded conditions deemed it necessary to expand the building. Consequently, the northwest wing was added in 1926. Increased enrollment created the need for additional classrooms. In 1960, the Sylvia Enarson building, which houses grades 3-4, was built. A new gymnasium and shop were added as a southwest wing of the high school at the same time.

#### YR1963PG075

Improvements in the town included a new post office, a veterinary clinic on Highway 71, an addition to the Methodist Church, and the resurfacing of the road from Villisca to Nodaway.

This group of instruments consists of an Oscilloscope (measures wave forms) an Audio-frequency Generator (generates electrical impulse of 20-20,000 cycles per second) and an Electronic Switch used to compare frequencies on the Oscilloscope.

A student lounge was added at Villisca High School. The room is used for dancing and playing pingpong. The faculty also have begun a lounge where they can relax after the school day,

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We Lead A Full Life

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Television

The Defenders

**Beverly Hillbillies** 

Dick VanDyke

Sing Along With Mitch

The Nurses

Ben Casey

Dr. Kildare

Pete and Gladys

Jackie Gleason's "American Scene"

Science Fiction Theater "Pat"

Bonanza

Virginians

Rawhide

Hazel

Lawrence Welk

Walt Disney

Andy Griffith Red Skelton

Movies

What Ever Happened to Baby Jane

Splendor in the Grass

North to Alaska

Music Man

Blue Hawaii

Breakfast at Tiffany's

West Side Story

Gypsy

Babes in Toyland

Gidget Goes Hawaiian

The Spiral Road

Cleopatra

Mutiny on the Bounty

The Absent-mined Professor

Summer and Smoke

Hatari

Touch of Mink

Gigot

Parent Trap

40 Pounds of Trouble

Bon Voyage

The Longest Day

The Castaways

Judgement at Nurembourg

The Apartment

Bird Man of Alcatraz

Manchurian Candidate

Follow That Dream

We worship

# YR1963PG077

We learn

We are loyal

We are fun-loving

Songs

Hey Paula

Walk Right In

The Night Has A Thousand Eves

Rumors

Proud

Rhythm of the Rain

Days of Wine and Roses

My Dad

Walk Like a Man

All I Have to do is Dream

409

Bobby's Girl

If I Had A Hammer

Michael

Gina

Moon River

Never on Sunday

Tonight

Big Girls Don't Cry

Swinging Safari

The Stripper

Duke of Earl

Pomp and Circumstance

Telstar

Green Onions

Alley Cat

Follow that Dream

Baby Elephant Walk

Calcutta

Love Potion No 9

Patches

Dances

The Continental

The Pony

The Twist

The Limbo

The Monster Mash

The Mash Potato

The Stomp

The U-T

The Jig-a-boo

#### YR1963PG078

A Look at Our Nation

SEATTLE, WASHINGTON hosted the WORLD'S FAIR. Included in the top attractions were the Space Needle, the Monorail, and the revolving restaurant of exotic dishes.

CALIFORNIA surpassed NEW YORK in population.

Three Kennedy brothers hold government positions: John F. Kennedy is President of the United States, Robert Kennedy is the Attorney-General and Ted Kennedy is a senator.

The NATIONAL DEBT reached 300 billion dollars.

1113 CUBAN REFUGEES were released in return for 53 million dollars worth of drugs and medicine sent by the

RUSSIA built up a strong store of arms in CUBA.

The UNITED NATIONS settled the trouble in the CONGO concerning the succession of KATANGA province.

There are now 112 members in the UNITED NATIONS.

The BERLIN WALL to stop exodus of East Germans to the West was built August 12-13, 1961. It was 27 miles long. Peter Fechter was the 50th person killed trying to scale the wall to freedom.

Pacifist INDIA was jarred by a Red Chinese attack on their border.

A rift developed between RED CHINA and RUSSIA over party doctrines.

TELSTAR, U.S. satellite, relayed television programs to and from Europe. Telephone conversations were also sent via Telstar. Made by AMERICAN TELEPHONE and TELEGRAPH, it was the first privately owned earth satellite.

Conservative leader DIEFENBAKER of Canada toppled because of an issue over United States nuclear arms in Canada.

LASER, an optical measurer of light, came into being. In the future it will be used to track satellites, as a defense weapon, and in "knifeless surgery."

COLOR POLAROID FILM went on the market for the first time.

ALGERIA gained independence from FRANCE after seven years of fighting.

BILLIE SOL ESTES was convicted on counts of fraud, conspiracy and interstate transportation of fraudulent mortgages, mortgages on non-existent anhydrous ammonia storage tanks and irregular cotton acreage allotments.

GEORGE ROMNEY (former president of American Motors) and NELSON ROCKEFELLER were both successful in their bids for the governorships of Michigan and New York respectively. These men at present are slated as

possible presidential candidates in 1964.

PRESIDENT KENNEDY stressed PHYSICAL FITNESS for U.S. citizens. The Marines were asked to take a 50-mile hike (a rule left over from the time of Theodore Roosevelt) to prove their fitness. Soon 50-mile hikes were a national craze.

The "MARINER," a Venus satellite sent back valuable information about the planet and its atmosphere. FRANCE led by Charles DeGualle rejected Britian in their bid for a seat in the European Economic Community.

#### YR1963PG079

PROJECT MERCURY put three U.S. astronauts into space. February 20, COLONEL JOHN H. GLENN, JR. completed a three orbit flight in the "Friendship 7." NAVY LIEUTENANT SCOTT CARPENTER also orbited the earth three times. His flight took place May 24 in the "Aurora 7" October 3 NAVY COMMANDER WALTER SCHIRRA circled the earth in the "Sigma 7" for a flight of six orbits. It was said that before the end of this year, our astronauts will stay up for flights of 36 hours in duration.

ADOLF EICHMANN was tried in Isreal for his mass extermination of the Jews during World War II. He was executed May 31, 1962.

The 20th VATICAN COUNCIL in 20 centuries met in the Vatican City to discuss reforms in the

Catholic Church. These were to affect the life, worship, and discipline of the Catholics, and the way the church looks to other Christians.

RICHARD NIXON was defeated in his bid for the California governorship by PAT BROWN. Many speculate the end of his political career.

U.S. experts in guerrilla warfare went to VIETNAM to instruct Vietnamese soldiers. The country is fighting Communist infiltration.

Democrat HAROLD HUGHES was elected to the lowa governorship. He was the only Democratic official elected.

Sports

BASEBALL

World Champions - New York Yankees over San Francisco - 4 games to 3

Home Run Leaders:

National - Willie Mays - San Francisco - 49 American - Harlan Killebrew - Minnesota - 48

Most Valuable Player:

National - Maury Wills - Los Angeles American - Mickey Mantle - New York

FOOTBALL

Wisconsin won Big 10 Oklahoma won Big 8

Southern California # 1 team in the Nation

Navy defeated Army 34-14

Pro Football Champions

Green Bay Packers - Dallas Cowboys

"Decidedly" won the Kentucky Derby Rodger Ward won the Indianapolis "500"

Sonny Liston - Heavyweight Champion

of the world

Golf Champion - Arnold Palmer

**Pro Basketball Champions** 

Boston Celtics - Los Angeles Lakers

Outstanding College Basketball Team Cincinnati

May we remember ...

Ward Bond

Marilyn Monroe

Dick Powell

Jack Carson

Ernie Kovacs

Charles Laughton

Robert Frost

Eleanor Roosevelt

James Faulkner

Gary Cooper

Ty Cobb

Jeff Chandler

Charles Coburn

**Ernest Hemingway** 

Dag Hammerskjold

Grandma Moses Sam Rayburn

Tom Dooley

Barry Fitzgerald

Whittaker Chambers

"Pumpkin paper spy"

James Thurber

"Humorist: Cartoonist"

Learned Hand

"Judge in the Court

of Appeals"

Carl Gustav Jung

"Founder of modern

psychology"

#### YR1963PG080

Fe Fi Fo Fum I'm a senior!!!!!! You're a bum!!!!!! Ralph Gard

# YR1963PG082

The Days Gone By

O the days gone by! O the days gone by!

The apples in the orchard, and the pathway through the rye;

The chirrup of the robin, and the whistle of the quail

As he piped across the meadows sweet as any nightingale;

When the bloom was on the clover, And the blue was in the sky, And my happy heart brimmed over, in the days gone by.

In the days gone by, when my naked feet were tripped

By the honeysuckle tangles where the water-lilies dipped,

And the ripples of the river lipped the moss along the brink

Where the placid-eyed and lazy-footed cattle came to drink,

And the tilting snipe stood fearless of the truant's wayward cry

And the splashing of the swimmer, in the days gone by.

O the days gone by! O the days gone by!

The music of the laughing tip, the luster of the eye;

The childish faith in fairies, and Aladdin's magic ring-

The simple, soul-reposing, glad belief in every thing,-

When life was like a story holding neither sob nor sigh,

In the golden olden glory of the days gone by.

# James Whitcomb Riley

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Farewell ...

#### YR1963PG084

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Coca Cola & 7up Bottling Co.

Shenandoah, Iowa

Shapcott Implement

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Presenting...

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The 1964 Blue jay

Alan A. Bishop, Counselor Kaye Jamison, Editor Mark Palmquist, Asst. Editor Jim Brannan, Business Manager STUDENT ANNUAL FOR VILLISCA COMMUNITY SCHOOL

Villisca, Iowa

The 1964 Annual Staff wishes to express their appreciation to:

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The Businessmen for their advertising; Mr McCormick for his "Foreword";

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The Students for their help;

The Custodians for their patience;

The Photographers:

L A. Moser

**Woltz Studios** 

Inter-State Studios;

The Inter-Collegiate Press;

And a special "Thanks" to Mr Bishop our sponsor who

helped us to complete the book. Thanks again,

The Annual Staff of '64

#### YR1964PG003

The 1964 Bluejay

#### YR1964PG004

#### Foreword

As we look at the past and in turn look into the future, we can see we are moving into an increasingly complex civilization. Each day we see mounting tension among countries of the world, a society filled with an increasing number of scientific devices, an increasing number of unemployed people, and a population that is increasing more rapidly than at any other time in history. One is likely to draw the conclusion that civilization is facing a crisis that it has never faced before. Yet, the world has faced perilous times in the past and came through them nobler and finer than it was before.

This grappling with the problems of today and tomorrow is done by PEOPLE ... just like each of us. The real challenge of today, as it was in the past, is whether or not the people themselves are big enough to meet and solve the world situations in which they may find themselves. Our wish for the students of V.H.S., especially the class of 1964 since they are about to be thrust into this world as adults, is that they be able to handle the problems of their time .. and we have every confidence that they will.

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#### Dedication

She has been a very effective and proficient teacher of psychology, sociology, speech, and English. She has also sponsored the Drama Club for four years.

The interest and cooperation she has shared with students and their-problems and activities are truly a credit to her profession.

With sincere appreciation for her fine work and warm-hearted personality, we proudly present the 1964 Bluejay to MRS. KIM SMITH.

## YR1964PG006

# SUPERINTENDENT LOUIS A. SULLIVAN

B.A., University of Iowa Education Master, University of Nebraska

Mr Sullivan deserves much praise for his fine leadership and co-operation with the students and the faculty PRINCIPAL ROBERT McCORMICK

B.S., Parsons College Education Masters, State University of Iowa

Mr. McCormick worked closely with student leaders in Student Council this year We feel that his initial year at VHS was a successful one

(Standing) from left to right. DON MEANS, FRED BRYSON, GEARLD MAXWELL, DWIGHT LEWIS, LOUIS SULLIVAN. (Sitting) RUTH

POGUE, ROBERTA DICKEY-SECRETARY

## YR1964PG007

Faculty

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PAUL BARKER

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Coach

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Sophomore Class Sponsor

ALAN BISHOP

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Sponsor of Junior Class

Sponsor of Annual Staff

FLORENCE BURRISH B A. State University of Iowa

English

Journalism

Sponsor of the Volcano

LILA GARDNER

B A. Nebraska State Teachers Latin I and Library

Sponsor of the Librarians

EARL HERRING

B.A. Simpson College

Social Sciences

Coach

Sophomore Class Sponsor

#### YR1964PG009

DUANE JOHNSON

B.A. Nebraska University M.A. Colorado State College High School Band

Junior Class Sponsor

CORRELLA MASON B. A. Simpson College

M.S. Iowa State University

GEORGE McVICKER B. S. Tarkio College Coach

Senior Class Sponsor

**CECIL RAWSON** 

B.A. Nebraska State College at Peru

Mathematics, Industrial Arts

MARK SHINKLE

B.A. Warrensburg State College

Spanish

Foreign Language Club Sponsor

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KIM SMITH

B.A. Grinnell

English, Psychology

Sponsor of the Drama Club

DALE SPENCER

B. S. Iowa State University

Vocational Agriculture

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HAROLD WENGERT

B. A. State College of Iowa Chemistry and 'Physics Sponsor of the Science Club

PATRICIA WISSLER B.A. Nebraska Wesleyan Vocal Music

DORETTA YOUNGMAN

B.A. Warrensburg State College American History Girls' Physical Education Sponsor of the Y-Teen Club

#### YR1964PG011

#### Secretaries

**GAYLE RUSSELL** PRINCIPAL SECRETARY JUDITH GUTHRIE SUPERINTENDENT SECRETARY

From issuing books to giving admits to class, our secretaries are always busy Their pleasant smiles and friendly ways are an asset to our school Not pictured is Roberta Dickey, who works in the School Board Office. **Bus Drivers** 

The Bus drivers are an important part of our school They not only drive many students to and from school, but drive them to ball-games, contests, and educational tours We owe a lot to our drivers

Pictured are: (Standing) Julius March, Glen TenEyck, Lois Frazee, Bob Woodward, Jim Milligan, John Kemery, and Gearld Shipley (Kneeling) Lawerence Lewis, Jerry Cooper, John Frazee, Dale Strait, Art Pullen, and Floyd Marvick.

# YR1964PG012

Cooks

The cooks are a vital part of our school life for they prepare and serve our meals. A salute to our cooks; Mrs. Bob Brannan, Mrs. Glen TenEyck, Mrs. Clyde Stackhouse, and Mrs. Glen Doan.

**Janitors** 

The custodians have an important role in our life at VHS. They are always willing to lend a helping hand. Because of illness, Mr Earl Selby was replaced by Mr Homer Rednour in the middle of the year. Pictured are Mr. Earl Selby and Mr. Alvin Zellmer.

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Seniors 1964

# YR1964PG014

CORRELLA MASON Sponsor

Success of the prom and banquet was largely due to the efforts and time Mrs Mason devoted to the class GEORGE McVICKER Sponsor

Although Mr McVicker was a sponsor for one year only his time and talents were greatly appreciated. JAMES BRANNAN

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; Student Council 3,4; Annual 3, 4; Letter Club 4; Science Club 3; Class Officer 2,3,4; President 3.4

DREW SCHRADER

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1 2; Track 2, 3; Band-Marching, Concert Dance 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep 1, 2; Council 4; Chorus 1,2; Drama 4; Student Council 4; Class Officer 4; Class Play 3; Letter Club 4; Teen Haven Council 4; President 4; Little All State 3; Tall Corn 3

KATHY WERTMAN

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 3, 4; Teen

All Conference 3; Band-Pep, Marching, Concert 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1,2; Y-teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; FTA. 1,2,3,4; President 4; Little All-State 4; Class Officer 1 4; Volcano 3,4; Look Magazine Award 3; March of Dimes, Queen 3, Chairman 3; Letter Club 4; Office Secretary 4.

PAMELA AYERS Y-Teens 3, 4; Teen Haven Council 4; Class Officer (Transfer)

BARBARA BANGSTON FT A. 1, 2, 3,4; Foreign Language 4; Science Club 1

PAT BARLOW Band-Marching, Concert, Pep, 1,2, 3, 4, Council 4; Sec Chorus 1, 2, 3; Drama 3,4; Thespians 3, 4; Y-Teens 1 2,3,4; Class Play 3; Office Secretary 4; Teen Haven Council 2; Tall Corn Band Festival 3

MAE BISBEE

Basketball 1 2, 3; Band-Marching, Concert, Pep 1, 2, 3,4; Chorus 1 2,3; Drama 3,4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Teen Haven Council 3

MARY BISBEE

Band-Marching, Concert, Pep,

1 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Drama 1, 2, 3,4; Y-Teens 1,

2 3,4; Cabinet 2; Student Council 4; Librarians

3 4; Class Officer 2; Homecoming Queen 4; Office Secretary 4

LARRY BICKERT Track 4; Band-Marching, Concert, 1,2,3, Pep 1,2; Drama 4; F F A. 1,2,3,4

MARSHA BRYSON Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 2, 3,4; Band-Marching, Pep, Concert 1, 2, 3, 4 Council 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 4; F T A. 4; Foreign Language Club, Vice-President 4; Volcano 3,4; Sectional Free -Throw

Champion 3; Little All-State 3; Letter Club 4; Office Secretary 1 2, 3

#### YR1964PG016

**DENNIS CARLSON** 

Football 1,2,3,4 Co-Captain 4; Basketball 2 3, 4; Baseball 1 2; F F A. 1, 2 3, 4 President 4; Student Council 1 2, 3 4, President 4; Letter Club 4; President 4; Teen Haven Council 2; March of Dimes King 3

Basketball 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Drama 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 4; Librarians 2 3, 4 President 4; Office Secretary 4

CANDACE DUNN

Cheerleader - Jr Varsity 1,2; Band-Marching, Concert 1, 2, 3, 4, Dance 4; Chorus 1, 2; Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Librarians 2; Little All-State 4

KAREN ENARSON

Band - Marching, Concert, Pep 1 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1 2, 4; Y-Teens 1 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 4; Volcano 3, 4; Little All -State 4; Tall Corn Band Festival 3

LOUISE ERICKSON-Teens 4; FTA. 3, 4

PATRICIA FRYER Cheerleader -Jr Varsity 1, 2, Varsity 3, 4; Band-Alarching 2,3,4, Concert 1 2, 3, 4; Pep 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2,4; Drama 1,2,4; Y-Teens 1 2, 3,4, Cabinet 4, President 4; Student Council 4; Science Club 4; Class Play 3 4; Annual 4; Tall Corn Concert Band 2; Little All-State 4

# YR1964PG017

TOM HALEY

Football 1,2,3; Basketball 2; F F A. 1,2,3,4

HEATHERINGTON

Band-Marching, Concert 1; Chorus 1,2; F T A. 1,2,3,4; Librarians 1 2; Shorthand Award 3 **GERALD JACKSON** 

Football 1, 2; Basketball 4; Chorus 1,2; F F A. 1, 2, 3,4; F F A. Awards 2, 3

KAYE JAMISON

Cheerleader - Jr Varsity 1, Varsity 2 3,4, Head 3, 4; Band-Marching, Concert 1 2, 3,4, Dance 1 2, Pep 1, Council 3; Chorus 1, 2, 4; Y -Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 2 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; Class Play 3; Annual 3,4, Editor 4; Volcano 3, 4; Homecoming Candidate 4; March of Dimes Ch 4

**AVON JOHNSON** 

Cheerleader-Jr Varsity 1; Band-Marching, Concert 2, 3,4; Dance 4; Pep 3,4; Chorus 1, 2; Drama 1, 3,4; Thespians 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 2; Student Council 1; Class Play 3; Volcano 3, 4; I rating State Contest 3; Little All-State 3; Drama Council 4

#### DAVID KERNEN

Football 1, 4; Basketball 1 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; F F A. 1, 2; Letter Club 4

#### YR1964PG018

#### KAREN KRAFT

Chorus 1, 2; Drama 4; Y-Teen 3,4.

PAUL LARSON

BERNIE LEWIS

Track 1,4; Band-Marching, Dance 1, 2, Concert 1,2,3, 4; Pep 1, 3, Chorus 1; Drama 4;F.F.A. 1,2,3,4.

**RON LEWIS** 

Track 3,4; Student Council 4; Letter Club 4; Foreign Language 1, 2; Science Club 1, 2, 3, Volcano 3, 4; Class Officer 1

SUSAN MADDEN

Basketball Manager 3, 4; Band-Marching, Concert Pep 1,2,3,4, Council 1; Chorus 1,2,4; Y-Teens 1, 2,3,4;

Cabinet 4; Foreign Language 4; Class Play 3; Volcano 3, 4; Little All -State 4.

DENNIS MEANS

Band-Marching, Concert 1, 2; F.F.A. 1,2

#### YR1964PG019

KEN MEANS

Track 1; Concert Band 1; Dance Band 1; Foreign Language 4

STAN MEANS

Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 3; F F A. 1,2,3,4

LINDA NEWBERG

Marching Band 1,

2; Concert Band 1,2; Girls' Glee 1, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Vocal Groups

3; Instrumental Groups 2; Brass Quintet; Drama 2,

4; Y-teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-teen Cabinet 1 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 1, 3; Office Secretary 3,4;

Homecoming Queen Candidate 4

PATTY NEAL

Y-teens 4; F T A. 1; Science Club 4

CRAIG NORDYKE

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2,3; Track 3; Boys' Glee 3; Chorus 3 4; Vocal Group 3; Letter Club

4; F.F A. 1, 2, 3, 4; 2nd Team All-Conference 4

LINNEA ODSON

Basketball 1,2; Marching Band 1,2, 3,4; Concert Band 1 2, 3, 4; Girls'

Glee 1,2; Chorus 1, 2, 4

# YR1964PG020

MARK PALMQUIST

Basketball 1 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Band-Concert, Marching, Dance, Pep 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1 2; Drama 2, 3, 4; Thespians 4; Student Council 1 4; Science Club 1, 2, 4; Class Officer 2 Class Play 3; Annual 3, 4; Volcano 3, 4;

Math Test Winner 2, 3; Teen Haven 3; Letter Club 4; Little All-State 3; Tall Corn Festival 2

RON PENDERGRAFT Football 4; Basketball 4; March of Dimes King 4; (Transfer)

ROBERT PENWELL

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3,4; Baseball 1, 2, Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Band-Marching, Concert 1 2,3,4; Dance 1 2, 3, 4; Chorus Vocal Group 1,2; Drama 4; Student Council 4; Letter Club 4; Speech 4; Teen Haven 1; Little All-

State 4; Tall Corn Festival 3

EDWARD PERRIN

Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1

CAROL PHILLISF TA. 1, 2, 3, 4

ROSELYN RAWSON

Band-Marching 3; Concert 3,4; Pep 4; Chorus 3,4; Drama 3, 4; Y-Teen 3,4; F T A. 3,4; Treasurer 4; Little All - State 4; Band Librarian 4; (Transfer)

#### YR1964PG021

CONNIE REA Drama 4; Y-Teens 3, 4; F T A. 4; (Transfer)

MARY ROBERTS

Chorus 2,4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 3; Librarians 2, 3, 4

RODERICK RUSSELL

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3,4; Baseball 4; Track 1,2,3,4; Band-Marching, Concert 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance 4; FT

A. 3 4; Letter Club 4; Tall Corn Conference Band Festival 2, 3; Little All State 4

KATHY SCHOLEY

Band-Marching, Concert 12; Chorus 1,2, 3, 4; Drama 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; FTA. 1,2,3,4; Office Secretary 3, 4

LARRY STALDER

SHARYN SELLEY

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Band-Marching, Concert 1, 2, 3, 4; Council 2; Chorus 1; Drama 1,2,3,4; President 4; Thespians 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teen Cabinet 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Class Officer 3; Class Play 3; Letter Club 4

#### YR1964PG022

DELENE STOREY

Band-Marching Concert 2, 3, 4; Band Council 3; Chorus 2; Drama 2, 3, 4; Council 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Volcano

3, 4; Little All State 4; Band Queen 4; Office Secretary 3, 4

DAVID WHITE F F A. 4

IFANETTE ZELLMER

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 3; Librarians 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3.

#### YR1964PG023

Underclassmen

# YR1964PG024

Juniors

The junior class had several activities which it was responsible for during the year. The first of these was the magazine sales in which they topped their goal of \$2, 000. Much time was also spent working in the

concession stand at basketball games. Their main project was planning the 1964 Junior-Senior Prom.

Jack Parkhurst Garry Roberts Barbara Wagaman Jerry Skahill

Donald Baker Becky Baker Lynn Bangston Vicki Blank John Boggess

Marilyn Boggess Linda Brown Dennis Chaney John Clark

Melvin Colter Karen Cooper Janet Day Carolyn Dresser Joel Embree

Cathy Fast Charlotte Fryer Darrel Fulton Elzene Gourley Richard Greenfield

## YR1964PG025

David Guffy Norman Hausen David Hall Dale Johnson Larry Johnson

Juanita Johnson Barbara Kuhn Steven Laire Duane Lewis Joanna Loghry

Pauline McKinley Craig Marwick Rose Ann Olson Donna Penwell Larry Perrin

Gail Pullen Nancy Quinn David Roberts Larry Roberts

Connie Rupp Richard Rupp Dennis Scott Bob Shipley Darwin Smith

Jolene Smith Kathy Solt Joan Sparks Richard Sprague Janet Strain

# YR1964PG026

Olin Strait Diane Sunderman Linda Sutphen Betty Templeton Dorthy Templeton Barbara Units Mary Winther

Pied-Piper leads "children" through a busy year.

\$2, 054, 00

Class president - Jack Parkhurst General Manager - Garry Roberts Team captains - Diane Sunderman Elzene Gourley

Team captains - Diane Sunderman Elzene Gourley

Juniors boost Homecoming with float -"The Thrill of It All"

#### YR1964PG027

## Sophomores

Having a year behind them the sophomores are firmly established in the daily routines of high school life Busily involved in many activities, their homecoming float won fourth place this past fall Their activities as a class were limited this year, because they are saving their money for the coming year Larry Fast Marilyn Greenfield Barbara Johnson Diane Peterson

Becky Alexander Linda Artlip Linda Bales Bill Bangston Douglas Bloom Ricky Blunt Helen Brannan Sharon Burton John Carmichael Mary Anita Clark

Dennis Cooney Mearl Coy Christina Delaney Ellen Doll Mikki Enarson

Carolyn Everett John Fengel Linda Fisher Bob Frey Linda Fryer

#### YR1964PG028

Gene Gard Kenneth Graham Jackie Gray Alan Gridley Fred Gourley
Sue Gourley Stephen Hatfield Bonnie Holder Mike Hoops Bonnie Jackson
Connie Jackson Bobby Johnson Danny Johnson Linda Johnson Larry Johnson
Barbara Kemery Linda Kenderick Gary Kernen Judy Long Dennis Loghry
Cheryl Marsh Dennis Maxwell Norma Means Clark Moritz Janet Neal
Diane Needham John Newberg Jolane Olander Ross Parker Wilhelmena Paulson

## YR1964PG029

Barbara Penwell Shirley Perrin Clarence Peterson Claude Peterson Linda Robinson Larry Rucker Donald Schenck Diana Scott Jean Shipley Joe Shipley Lydia Sigafus Judy Skahill Jeanne Smith Janet Stein

Beverly Wagaman Linda Weaver Carolyn Webster Susan Wheeler Tom Wilhelm

Ann White Janette Wilcoxson Mabel Wilson

The sophomore class float theme the Giant received fourth place in the homecoming parade

# YR1964PG030

Freshmen

Many initiations and helpful upperclassmen welcomed the new freshmen class. Their first class project was a float which received third place in the annual Homecoming Parade. They also had a sleigh riding party Bob Mullen Ann Neal Barbara Means

David Agnew Sharon Anderson Craig Baker Sheryl Blunt Martha Bodwell Steven Boggess Suzy Boggess Rolland Bradley Louis Davies Edward Day Merle Derry Richard Dozier Delores Erickson Stephen Fisher Marjorie Focht Kirk Franson Colleen Freshour Janet Fryer Tracy Gidley Linda Golay

#### YR1964PG031

Pat Gourley Sherry Gourley Marcella Greenfield Sherry Greenfield Chris Gunderman

Susan Guthrie Pat Haley Sandra Haley Mike Higgens Olin Holder

Richard Lane Loren Larson Richard Larson Teresa Lowe Donald Jackson

Kieth Magen Kay McCoy Neal McCoy Larry McClelland Sharon Perrin

Susan Peterson Judy Rea Jim Robinson Bob Ross Linda Rucker

Michael Schrader Russell Scott Nancy Skahill Kirk Simpson Jerry Sprague

#### YR1964PG032

Mike Sprague Steve Stein Loyce Strait Cindy Sullivan Gene Sunderman

Paula Shipley Cathy Shipley Phil Wertman Jim Wilcoxson Alan Wolfe

Lauri Woodward

Their float, "Son of Flubber", won second-place in the Homecoming Parade. This was their first contribution as a freshman class.

Initiations played an important part of their first year in high school.

#### YR1964PG033

Activities

#### YR1964PG034

Council Officers President, Dennis Carlson Vice President, Jim Brannan Secretary, Sharyn Selley Treasurer Linda Newberg

Student Council

The Student Council was successful in carrying on the traditional homecoming parade and related festivities. The "Senior -of -the -Month" program was organized to give recognition to outstanding seniors for their work in both scholastic and extracurricular activities. One of the most successful social events of the year was the December "Twerp Dance" sponsored by the Student Council

# YR1964PG035

Librarians

The librarians do a variety of work in keeping the library organized and ready for student use. They are (L-R): 2nd row, Helen Brannan, Jeanette Zellmer, Linda Fryer, Paulene McKinley, Mary Lou Bisbee, Mary Roberts. 3rd row, Janet Day, Barbara Kuhn, Linda Sutphen, Jean Shipley, Nancy Quinn, Connie Rupp and Janet Stein. Bonnie Jackson, Connie Jackson, and Linda Johnson are not pictured.

Sponsor, Miss Gardner; Social Chairman, Barbara Units; Secretary, Juanita Johnson; Vice-President, Mary Winther; President, Dianne Derry

Office Secretaries

The secretaries this year are (I-R), Delene Storey, Pat Barlow, Mary Lou Bisbee, Dianne Derry, Kathy Wert-man. (2nd) Linda Weaver, Barbara Johnson, Kathy Scholey, and Linda Newberg. Not pictured are Mae Louise Bisbee and Pat Fryer.

#### YR1964PG036

Drama Club

Drama Club had an active year The organization meeting format was changed as club members produced an entertaining program at each meeting. This was helpful in discovering talents among new members and those who participated gained valuable experience in acting and declamation.

Six members of the club received I ratings at district speech contest February 22 They were Pat Barlow, Delene Storey, Mary Lou Bisbee, Pam Ayres, Ross Parker and Suzy Madden.

Drama Council

Drama Council officers are Sharyn Selley, president; Jack Parkhurst, vice president; Dianne Derry, secretary;

Mae Bisbee, treasurer; Delene Storey, clerk.

The other members are class representatives and Thespians

# YR1964PG037

## Thespians

The 1963-64 members of the Villisca chapter of the National Thespian Society are Pat Barlow, Avon Johnson, Sharyn Selley, Jack Parkhurst and Mark Palmquist. Mrs. Smith is sponsor

The Thespians planned the annual Drama Club initiation and produced a one act play for speech contest. "Nobody Sleeps"

"Nobody Sleeps" a one-act comedy by Guernsey LePelley was presented at the Valentine Dance February 22 and at district speech contest the following day It was given a II rating.

Jack Parkhurst was student director of the Thespian project.

#### YR1964PG038

Margret Mugo

**Eating Out** 

Run and work with Mrs. Y

Foreign Student Day

New Friends

Clean-up!

Initiation at lake

Summer Conf living group

"The Winner" C.S.

MOTHER DAUGHTER TEA

Bus Ride

Laughing Cabinet

Y-TEEN GOALS:

- 1. To grow as a person
- 2. To grow in brotherhood with all races, religions, & nationalities
- 3. To grow in the knowledge and love of GOD.

# YR1964PG039

# Y-TEEN CABINET

(L-R) Sharyn Selly, Treasurer; Elzene Gourley, Secretary; Pat Fryer, President; Linda Newberg, Vice President; Mrs. Youngman, Advisor; (back) Chairmen: Janet Stein, Service; Diane Sunderma, Program; Marsha Bryson, Social; Linda Artlip, Worship; Janet Day, Service; Suzy Madden, Music; Karen Enarson, Popcorn; Sharon Burton, Publicity: Kave Jamison. Program.

The school year began with a recognition ceremony for the new members A picnic was held at Viking Lake and the new members competed in an animal costume contest. Cathy Shipley won the event with a costume of a spotted dog.

Fall Conference was held here in October. Our club was represented by 41 girls. Recognition of fine organization and the successful conference was given to the club by state YWCA officers and various clubs attending. Fun was had by all. The UNICEF drive was also held this month. The collections totaled over \$100.00 November was World Fellowship month. The Y-teens gave \$20 to help Y-teen clubs and YWCA's in other parts of the world. Margret Mugo of Kenya paid us a visit.

In December the girls brought old and used toys which they repaired and gave with shirts and slacks to the children at the annual Kiddy Party Cookies and cocoa were served then everyone sat around the Christmas tree to hear a story Peanuts, oranges, and candy were taken home by each family. February 2,30 Y-teens attended the Foreign Student Day in Des Moines.

March was filled with activities. The girls participated in a Talent Show during the club meeting and several of the acts were taken to Glenwood and local nursing homes. The senior girls served the FFA Banquet. Leprechauns were imported for the St. Patricks Dance which Y-teens attended, some brought dates and everyone wore green.

Delegates and electors attended the annual spring meeting of Y-teens and YWCA. It was held in Des Moines in April and next year's program was voted upon.

The two main donations made by the club this year to the school were a complete uniform for the band, inside which a label with the club's name was attached, and a mirror for the Student Lounge.

The year '63-'64 was ended with the annual Mother-Daughter Tea. The new officers were installed and the mothers received flowers and thanked for all they had done to help the girls during the year The outstanding senior and underclassman were presented with their awards. Mrs Tyler gave the seniors their Y-teen pins and then the president made a special presentation.

As a final thought, the club would like to thank Mrs. Youngman for the many things she has done for all of us It is mostly by her efforts that we have become strong. Although she is leaving, we will never forget her and will always be grateful for the time she spent helping us to better ourselves as a whole and as individuals Y-Teens Club and Activities

# YR1964PG041

#### FFA

(Left to right) Dale Spencer Sponsor; Gerald Jackson, Reporter; Larry Fast, Secretary; Richard Greenfield, Vice-president; Dennis Carlson, President; Darrel Fulton, Treasurer; Richard Rupp Sentinel; Denins Maxwell, Sentinel

This FFA Chapter celebrated its twenty-fifth anniversary this school year The organization is very active and has sponsored several projects the past school year such as: a hayride, a swimming party, selling football programs, launched two sales, sold subscriptions to Wallace Farmer, sold garden seeds the Sweetheart Dance, and the FFA Banquet All former Villisca FFA members were invited to the banquet at which the state Secretary of Agriculture, L.B. Liddy was the speaker

Attending the sub-district speaking contest at Red Oak were the Creed Speaker, the Parliamentary Procedure team, the Public Speaker, and the program of work. The Scrapbook, Secretary and Treasurer's book, and the Dairy Farming records were taken to the district written contest at Griswold.

The average labor income per boy in 1963 was \$287 32 The following is a list of the boy's projects for 1964 Boys

Swine	27	89 litters
Fat beef	8	15 head
Breeding beef	18	32 head
Dairy	4	12 head
Sheep	4	45 head ewes
Rabbits	1	3 rabbits
Horses	8	9 head
Corn	13	214 acres
Beans	4	19.6 acres
Oats	1	3.5 acres
Poultry	3	168 head

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Editor Kaye Jamison
Business Manager Jim Brannan
Assistant Editor Mark Palmquist
Literary Editor Diane Sunderman

Photography Editor Pat Fryer
Typist Melvin Colter

Photographers Jolane Olander

Larry Johnson

Senior Editor Lynda Sutphen
Sports Editor Linda Artlip
Sponsor Mr Bishop

**Annual Staff** 

### YR1964PG043

Villisca Volcano

Editor Mark Palmquist Manager Avon Johnson

Staff

Marsha Bryson, Karen Enarson, Kaye Jamison, Ron Lewis, Suzy Madden, Delene Storey, and Kathy Wertman Journalism Class: John Boggess, Marilyn Boggess, Pat Brownlee, Melvin Colter, Janet Day, Larry Johnson, Craig Marvick, Garry Roberts, Joan Robinson, Connie Rupp, Bob Shipley, Jerry Skahill, Diane Sunderman, Lynda Sutphen, and Barbara Wagaman.

## YR1964PG044

V.H.S. Band MARCHING BAND DANCE BAND CONCERT BAND

The Villisca Bluejay Band enjoyed an extremely successful year In addition to receiving a I at State Marching Contest, they attended Ak-Sar-Ben for the first time and earned a II rating. The Marching Band also make trips to the Clarinda Jamboree and the Maryville Homecoming. During the year, VHS was the site of two State Contests, the Marching Contest in the fall, and the State Large Group Contest held in April In February the VHS concert band scored another, "first" by appearing on "Talent Show Case" and Omaha Television program. A VHS alumnus Dick Weiner was responsible for arranging the appearance The concert band entertained the SW Iowa Teachers Convention in March. Former Principal Ralph Stotts, president of SWIEA, was responsible for this invitation.

The purchase of new uniforms was the highlight of the year An energetic fund drive was headed by the Band Mothers, for these uniforms

## YR1964PG045

The Band Council this year consists of Drew Schrader, president; Pat Barlow, secretary; Marsha Bryson, Diane Sunderman, Bob Johnson, and Phil Wertman as class representatives

Pep Band members are Susan Peterson, Mae Bisbee, Pat Barlow, Avon Johnson, Marilyn Greenfield, Cheryl Marsh, Kathy Wertman, Chris Gunderman, Roselyn Rawson, Linda Weaver, Susan Madden, Barbara Kemery, Richard Lane, Linda Artlip, Steve Laire, Mark Palmquist, Karen Enarson, Dave Hull, Melvin Colter, and John Boggess.

### YR1964PG046

## Chorus

BOYS QUARTET--From left: Steve Laire, Tom Wilhelm, Craig Nordyke, and Dave Hull; Pianist: Chris Gunderman. Miss Wissler was new to VHS this past year. She is the high school chorus director and the vocal music teacher in the elementary schools.

An active group who has performed at various churches during the year, is the girls trio. Members are: Donna

Penwell, Linda Newberg, and Elzene Gourley.

This chorus participated in five events this past year They presented a Christmas concert, a Rodgers and Hammerstein production and a benefit concert. The group also sang at the Presbyterian church and at the Union Good Friday services.

### YR1964PG047

The Future Teachers gained valuable knowledge and experience as members traveled to the District Convention at Council Bluffs where John Boggess was elected vice-president of the district board and to the State convention at Des Moines

They also participated in the Prospective Teachers Day at Clarinda this fall and several members had the experience of "teaching" in the elementary schools.

**Future Teachers of America** 

Above (from left to right) John Boggess Secretary; Roselyn Rawson, Treasurer; Kathy Wertman, President; Kathy Scholey Vice-president; Roderick Russell, Historian.

## YR1964PG048

Gary Kernen

**Bob Frey** 

Steven Boggess

**Garry Roberts** 

John Boggess

Ron Lewis

Rod Russell

Craig Marvick

Tom Cohoon

Mel Colter

Mr. Wengert, Sponsor

Pat Neal

Pat Fryer

Mark Palmquist

Janet Day

Ed Day

Russell Scott

Linda Sutphen

Larry McClellan

Science Club

The main purpose of the science club is to give kids an opportunity to experiment and work with science projects they could not do during class time.

During it's second year of existence the science club contributed much to the school. They were very active in school affairs and did much to make the science club one of the most influential groups in school.

This group of 20 members have various projects including Bacteriology, Pharmacology, Electronics, Hydroponics, Chemistry, Ionic Propulsion, Paleontology, Half-Adder Computers, and "The Learning Ability of Hamsters." Ron Lewis took his paleontology project to the state science fair in Des Moines, while the entire group attended this same event. They also took a field trip and had a speaker address them concerning science. Also three members of the science club, Garry Roberts, Craig Marvick, and Jogn Boggess attended the Science Symposium at Iowa City in April. Their principal money making projects were working at the concession stand during basketball tournaments and sponsoring 2 bake sales.

## YR1964PG049

TEEN HAVEN ADULT BOARD

Marlin Gunderman, Pres

Willis Gourley,

Earl Fryer,

Orvis Wagaman,

Harold Robinson.

Mrs. Harold Veak.

Mrs. Joe McCoy,

Mrs Stanley Johnson,

Treasurer,

Mrs Stanley Embree,

Secretary

Teen Haven

Duties of the Teen Haven Council include care and maintenance of the grounds and building, scheduling of chaperons, and providing music for the students They have done a wonderful job this year in providing a place for recreation for the students

TEEN HAVEN COUNCIL

Kay McCoy

Richard Greenfield.

Vice -President.

Tom Wilhelm, Phil Wertman, Mark Shinkle, Linda Robinson, Barbara Wagaman, Secretary, Pam Ayers, Drew Schrader, President.

## YR1964PG050

Foreign Language Club

The Foreign Language Club is another of the new organizations in school Mr. Shinkle, Spanish teacher, was primarily responsible for its creation. Anyone who has taken a foreign language in school may belong The year's activities consisted of a dance in the fall and a banquet in the spring.

Left to Right: Mr. Shinkle, sponsor; Rod Russell, Treasurer; Kathy Wertman, Secretary; Marsha Bryson, Vice-President; Kay McCoy, President.

## YR1964PG051

Sports

### YR1964PG052

"1 dunno, but I think the whole idea is to put the ball into the basket. Now, one of the

best ways is to shoot that's right

Okay, so it sounds silly, but do it anyway, just for old Uncle Paul."

Duh, I dunno, Earl, Wha YOU doin' tonight.

The sentence is EXECUTION!!!

Coaches

The coaches at Villisca High School did a fine job this year They were mainly responsible for the rebirth of the letter club at Villisca and they led an all-out effort to increase participation in athletics An intramural program has been organized.

Their extremely original ideas for creating school spirit were usually quite successful Their ideas ranged from challenging the cheerleaders to get 70% of the student body to a basketball game (BFM Week) to presenting a "disc jockey" show from radio station

D -E -R -B -Y.

One of their most important contributions to VHS as both coaches and teachers was the good example they

set by their high standards of conduct--a tribute to their profession.

HEY—don't take it yet--my sock is. Oh, SKIP it!

D-E-R-B-Y says Down with the Beatles!!

Look at all those signatures!

### YR1964PG053

Letter Club

In its first year as an organization the Letter Club has already contributed much to the school. It has sponsored a coat check stand at the basketball games, sponsored the Southwest Iowa Independent League Tournaments, aided the Booster Club in sponsoring the Athletic Banquet, and purchased sweaters for the entire group. The main purpose of the club is to distinguish those who have earned varsity athletic awards and to promote better sportsmanship.

Officers are Dennis Carlson, President; Jim Brannan, Vice-president; Sharyn Selley, Secretary; and Joel Embree, Treasurer

### YR1964PG054

## **Booster Club**

Back row left to right--Bob Neal, John Frazee, Altis Olander, Orvis Wagaman, John Kemery. Next row-- Don Means, Charles Artlip, Willis Marvick, Fred Bryson. Next row--Judd Means, Earl Herring. Front row--Louis Sullivan, Paul Barker, Wayne Carlson, Jim Wertman, Bob McCormick.

**OFFICERS** 

Wayne Carlson President
Max Nordyke. Vice-President
Jim Wertman Sec. -Treasurer

The Booster Club assisted the Athletic Department this year by helping to sponsor pep busses to athletic events and by sponsoring the All-Sports Athletic Banquet.

The Club changed its meeting plan and now convenes four times a year rather than monthly Continued co-operation of the Booster Club will be a great asset to our sports program.

## YR1964PG055

The 1963 Football Team

The sixty-three football season proved to be a dismal one for the Bluejays; but, nevertheless, the boys showed lots of spirit and gained some valuable experience along with having a good time.

Leading the scorers this year were Larry Fast and Jim Brannan with twelve points each. Richard Rupp, Joel Embree, and Bob Penwell followed with six points apiece, and Phil Wertman topped off the scoring with two points.

Receiving positions on the Tall Corn Conference second team were Joel Embree, halfback, and Craig Nordyke, center, while Richard Rupp, Garry Roberts, and Dennis Carlson all received honorable mention. Jim Brannan received honorable mention on the All-Southwest Iowa roster

Dennis Carlson End Co-captain

Bob Penwell Quarterback Co-captain

## YR1964PG056

Jim Brannan Left Halfback

Gary Kernen Guard

Roderick Russell End Craig Nordyke Center

craig Nordyke Center

Joel Embree Right Halfback

Clark Moritz Guard

Not pictured

**Gary Roberts Tackle** 

Larry Fast Fullback Not pictured

Not pictured

Darrell Fulton Tackle

### YR1964PG057

That's ONE For us!

First and ten.

Hey! Hold that line

### YR1964PG058

VARSITY

Back row:

Susan Madden, Stat. Coach Barker Nancy Skahill, Mgr Kay McCoy Marsha Bryson Linda Brown Barbara Wagaman Norma Means

Front row:

Joan Sparks Sharyn Selley Anne Neal Kathy Wertman Jolane Olander Linda Artlip Linda Fisher

Jayettes

SUBS Back row:

Vickie Blank Linda Fryer Linda Johnson Sandy Haley Jolene Smith Diane Peterson Mable Wilson Barbara

Kemery Judy Skahill Tracy Gidley Coach Herring

Front row:

Loyce Strait Sue Gourley Chris Gunderman Sherry Gourley Susan Peterson Shirley Perrin Jaque Gray

## YR1964PG059

Kathy Wertman

Senior Guard

Jolane Olander

Sophomore Guard

Sharyn Selley

Senior Forward Marsha Bryson

Senior Forward

Although the season was unsuccessful for the Jayettes, it was far from uneventful They played several highly rated teams: Clearfield, East Union, and Exira.

In order to pay for their annual trip to the State Tournaments in Des Moines during March, the girls sponsored a pancake supper The tournaments were held during the week of March 10-15 The first twelve, Coach Barker, and Doretta Youngman, Chaperon, left school on Friday afternoon and stayed overnight, attending the semi-finals and finals on Friday and Saturday nights

New to the Jayettes this past year was Paul Barker He is the commercial teacher and former assistant coach Linda Brown

Junior Guard

Barbara Wagaman

Junior Forward

# YR1964PG060

Front Row: Coach Herring, Jerry Skahill, Bob Penwill, David Kernen, Drew Schrader, Denny Carlson, Craig Marvick, Bob Johnson, Coach McVicker Back Row: Richard Sprague, Tom Aohoon, Mark Palmquist, Rod

Russell, Larry Johnson, Ron Pendergraft, Craig Nordyke, Dave Hull.

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17	71	23	13	21	64	47	31
6	26	21	5	10	50	17	11
6	13	46	1	2	50	13	14
14	47	30	13	24	54	41	13
29	106	26	14	43	32	72	24
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Front Row: Danny Johnson, Clark Moritz, Bill Bangston, Phil Wertman, Bob Mullen, Alan Wolf, Coach McVicker Second Row: Russell Scott, Tom Wilhem, Neil McCoy, Dennis Maxwell, Gary Kernen, Steve Stein. Third Row: Mike Higgans, Richard Lane, Merle Derry, Gene Sunder-man, Craige Baker, Kirk Simpson.

### YR1964PG061

Dennis Carlson Drew Schrader Jerry Skahill

Blue Jays

Craig Marvick David Kernen Bob Penwell Bob Johnson

# YR1964PG063

Track

The track squad had added depth this year due to the large increase in participation. Some of the members attended the Class A state indoor track meet besides participating in several other meets in the area. Get up! The coach is coming!

## YR1964PG064

Coach Herring, David Kernen, David Roberts, Jerry Skahill, Ed Day, Steve Laire, Phil Wertman, Kirk Simpson, Craig Baker, Fred Gourley, Clark Moritz, John Newberg, Gary Kernen, Tom Graham, Jim Robinson, Bob Johnson.

Baseball

By looking at the 1963 record you would have to say it must not have been a very good ball team But those who followed would disagree They saw a bunch of young boys battling their hearts out in every game but only to find themselves on the short end most of the time. Of the ten boys that played most of the time there was one junior, two sophomores, five freshman, and two eighth graders In the years to come if this group keeps their determination the record will be much brighter

"Line Drive!"

"Safe!"

"Ball One!"

"Waiting for the Pitch!"

"Home Run!"

## YR1964PG065

Golf

The boys' team enjoyed a successful season in 1963 as they won both of their dual meets with Bedford. This year showed increasing interest as four seniors joined the team Mr Johnson served as coach.

The largest girls' team ever was led by Linda Kendrick and Lynda Sutphen who were returning letter-winners. The team was coached by Mrs. Youngman.

Back row: Marsha Bryson, Karen Enarson, Diane Peterson, Lynne Bangston, Chris Gunderman, Linda Robinson. Front row: Delene Storey, Kathy Wert-man, Linda Kendrick, Lynda Sutphen, Tracy

Back row: Drew Schrader, Dennis Carlson, Tom Cohoon, Rod Russell, Kirk Simpson. Front row: Craig. Nordyke, Bob Penwell, Mark Palmquist, Craig Baker

### YR1964PG066

Varsity

For the second consecutive year the Varsity Cheerleaders are Kaye Jamison, Donna Penwell, Joan Robinson, Pat Frver. and Diane Sunderman.

The Cheerleaders again played an important role in our school's athletics. They helped to create school spirit by conducting pep assemblies, cheering at games, and encouraging students to attend games. The squads also were instrumental in improving school spirit by placing posters in the halls to encourage both the students and the teams

The Cheerleaders were responsible for homecoming coronation ceremonies and constructing a float for the queen candidates. Other duties consisted of decorating goal posts, decorating for the Athletic Banquet, and preparing the ceremonies for the track queen at the Bluejay Relays.

One of the "highlights" of the year was the consequences of a challenge the girls made with the coaches. The girls deserve a big "Thank You" for their fine job.

### YR1964PG067

JUNIOR VARSITY--Janet Strain, Becky Alexander, Becky Baker, Barbara Means, Barbara Penwell.

## YR1964PG068

Dibs on the girls

A friend always California Here we come!

Hold 'em down Pickle!!

Hey, this tastes kinda "inspiring"

Up in the air BJ leaders

Kave Who!!

Heck no, the big one got away

Heads bowed in study or in bewilderment?

Sneak peak at the twirp dance—S.C.

this piggy AND this piggy

All in a good night's work—but WHERE?

We are the bloomer girls

Hey Girls

You pull the string and I'LL fun

Anyone for FIZZIES!!!

If you don't tell, I WON'T

It won't go

BEAUTIFUL DREAMER

1, 2, 3, twirl

YEA Class of 64 was here! YEA

4.09

## YR1964PG069

Social

## YR1964PG070

Queen

MARY LOU BISBEE

## YR1964PG071

PAT FRYER

PAMELA AYRES

**KAYE JAMISON** 

LINDA NEWBERG

## YR1964PG072

Parade

1st SENIORS BEN HUR

2nd Y-TEENS BELLS ARE RINGING

3rd FRESHMEN SON OF FLUBBER

4th SOPHOMORES THE GIANT

QUEEN'S FLOAT RAINTREE COUNTY 1\$

Bryan Dickey, Debbie Carlson, Linda Newberg, Pam Ayers Kaye Jamison, Pat Fryer and Mary Bisbee

CHEERLEADERS

TEAM

HIGH SCHOOL BAND

**HORSES** 

## YR1964PG073

QUEEN MARY BISBEE

Kaye Jamison, Pat Fryer, Mary Bisbee, Pam Ayres, Linda Newberg, Denny Carlson, Craig Nordyke, Bob Penwell, Rod Russell, Jim Brannan, Debbie Carlson and Bryan Dickey

Court Royalty

Blue Velvet

QUEEN'S DANCE

"I could have danced al I night!"

## YR1964PG074

**Band Queen** 

Delene Storey was chosen Band Queen by the VHS Band members Other candidates were: Mae Louise Bisbee, Becky Baker, Donna Penwell, Joan Robinson, and Barbara Means. They were selected from the student body by the band council on the basis of beauty, poise, and personality Delene represented Villisca as a queen candidate at the Clarinda Band Jamboree

March of Dimes

Sharyn Selley and Ron Pendergraft were selected as March of Dimes King and Queen. They represented Villisca at the county March of Dimes dance in Red Oak. The two were chosen by the student body from the Junior and Senior classes

Kaye Jamison was chairman for the Teen-Age Program (TAP) in Villisca. We were responsible for a blockade, a crutch sale, and candy day Several students also participated in the county blockade held in Red Oak.

## YR1964PG075

FFA

Sweetheart

The top four candidates and President Denny Carlson are from left to right Kay Jamison, Sharyn Selley, Sweetheart, Pat Fryer, and Mary Lou Bisbee These girls were presented and given special recognition at an assembly in February

The 1964 FFA Sweetheart is Sharyn Selley She was selected from 19 Senior girls, the largest number of candidates the chapter has had. Sharyn was presented with the sweetheart jacket in February and was honored at the FFA Banquet in March. At the banquet she was presented with the symbolic necklace. The FFA Sweetheart Candidates honored at the dance are left to right, Linda Newberg, Pat Barlow, Pat Fryer, Sharyn Selley, Kaye Jamison, Mary Lou Bisbee, and Mae Louise Bisbee

## YR1964PG076

Valentine Dance

Bob Penwell and Diane Sunderman were crowned King and Queen of Hearts at the 1964 Valentine Dance. The other candidates were Karen Enarson, Pat Barlow, Drew Schrader, seniors; Joan Robinson, Richard Greenfield, Richard Rupp, juniors; Marilyn Greenfield, Ross Parker, sophomores; and Chris Gunderman, Jim Robinson, freshmen. Kim Herring and Dwight Sunderman were the crown bearers.

The one-act play "Nobody Sleeps" was presented by the Thespians. The "Cockroaches" (Jim Robinson, Gene Sunderman, Craig Baker, and Phil Wertman) also appeared. The dance was sponsored by the Drama Club.

### YR1964PG078

Three Coins in a Fountain

Mr. & Mrs. Moore Mr. & Mrs. Mason

## YR1964PG079

THREE COINS IN A FOUNTAIN was selected by the Junior class of 1963 to be the theme of their prom.

Work on the prom started early with a driving magazine campaign during which, a record of \$1962 was made Kaye Jamison, Pat Fryer & Mark Palmquist were the chairmen of the sales.

Then, under supervision of Mr. Moore, the needed materials were ordered. Mrs. Mason and her committee planned the banquet.

After many hours of planning and working, the long awaited night finally arrived.

The Banquet was served in the gym. The food was given Italian names but it was familiar and enjoyed by all. The high school faculty, previous teachers, seniors and dates were invited to the Prom. It was held in the armory so that the fountain, which was the main decoration could have real water The tables were enclosed behind picket fence. Fresh flowers were everywhere and a false ceiling of blue and gold gave an illusion of night sky.

A skit was presented depicting Al Capone's deportment from Italy to America. Pat Fryer sang "Tonight". The Prom ended as the clock struck 12.

After the Prom, there were two films shown at the theater and then a breakfast was served for everyone at the Country Club.

Junior Senior 63

## YR1964PG081

Memories

### YR1964PG082

Memories

SCHOOL

**Student Commencement Exercises** 

Letter Club Organized

Beatlemania

School Crest

**Band Uniforms** 

FADS

Student Lounge Rail Sitting

Narrow Ties

The Flip

Collegiate Hair -cut

Knitting

Cut-offs

Mohair Sweaters

Ski Jackets

Stretch Slacks

Snap Tab Collars

Plaid Sweaters

Pin Stripe Shirts

Troll Dolls

Coulettes Loafers (shoes)

Contact Lenses

TELEVISION.

**Outer Limits** 

Tell It To the Camera

Farmer's Daughter

Arrest and Trial

Burke's Law

Patty Duke

Destry

Temple Houston

Learning to Knit

## YR1964PG083

Down to work

PHS Ed Class

BFM Week

SONGS

Blue Velvet

There I Said It Again

Long Tall Texan

Puff the Magic Dragon

Blown in the Wind

Surfing Bird

More Pretty Girls than One

Washington Square

You Don't Own Me

You Don't Have to be a Baby to Cry

Forget Him

Dominique

It's All in the Game

Sugar Shack

409

Cobra

She Loves You

I Want to Hold Your Hand

Penetration

I Saw Her Standing There See the Funny Little Clown

I Can't Get You Out of My Heart

Out of Limits

Wives and Lovers

Fun, Fun, Fun

MOVIES

Days of Wine and Roses

Lawrence of Arabia

Charades

Move Over Darling

Spencer's Mountain

Critic's Choice

The Prize

Under the Yum-Yum Tree

Hud

Fun in Acapulco

Gidget Goes to Rome

Palm Springs Weekend

America America

The Hirds

Tammy and the Doctor

DANCES

The Shimmy

Up-Town

The Hitch-hiker

The Continental

The Jig-a-boo

The Dog

# YR1964PG085

November 22, 1963

## YR1964PG086

World Events

May 15-16, '63 Gordon Cooper orbited the Earth 22 times

June, '63 Lord's Prayer banned in • school by Supreme Court Ruling

June 3, '63 Pope John XXIII died; Pope Paul VI took over

June 14, '63 Soviet Union sent first lady into orbit--Junior Lieutenant Valentina Tereshkova

July 15, '63 United States, England, and Russia signed nuclear test ban treaty

August 9, '63 Patrick Kennedy, infant son of President Kennedy, died August 28, '63 200,000 Negroes demonstrated in Washington, D.C.

August 30, '63 "Hot Line"; a direct link between Moscow and Washington went into operation

September 7, '63 Quintuplets were born to Venezuelan couple

September 14, '63 Quintuplets were born in South Dakota to Fischer family October, '63 President Kennedy approved wheat sales to U. S. S. R.

October 10, '63 MacMillan resigned as British Prime Minister; Alexander Hume became Prime Minister

of England

November 1-2, '63 Vietnam government overthrown; President and brother died

November 22, '63 President Kennedy assassinated

November 24, '63 Lee Harvey Oswald shot

January, '64 Panama Crisis February, '64 Crisis in Cyprus

March '64 Tax Cut

March '64 Jimmy Hoffa convicted of jury fix

March '64 Jack Ruby trial

## YR1964PG087

Maybe it's a bell or something.

What do YOU want?

C'mon coach, let ME play!

Smile Pretty!

Well, you see, It all started with this letter I got from Ted Mack's Original. Amateur Hour.

We honor Beatles on D-E-R-B-Y

BOO ...

No Harold, It's this way.

And now a word from our sponsor . .

# YR1964PG088

Senior Autographs

## YR1964PG089

HY- VEE FOOD

STORE

Fine Food

For Fine Folks

We Give

Regal Stamps

Congratulations

Seniors.

LEISURE LANES

TOM DODSON Optometrist

SIERP OIL CO.

76-1-3102

THE VILLISCA REVIEW

Weekly Newspaper

**Quality Printing** 

"There's No Place Like" MARSH MOTEL

76-1-5334

MARSH SERVICE STATION

76-1-5112

MARION NEEDHAM, BLACKSMITH Body And Fender Work

Wrecker Service-General

Repairs

76-1-5233VILLISCA LOCKER

Pickup Service Anywhere

No Appointment Needed

"We Butcher Every Day"

NODAWAY VALLEY NATIONAL BANK

"The Only Bank In The World That Supports Villisca"

Member of FDIC

### YR1964PG090

**GUNDERMAN INSURANCE AGENCY** 

Villisca, Iowa

"We Stand Between You And Loss"

GREEN LANTERN CAFÉ

SHAFFER'S LAUNDROMAT

Wash & Dry

Rapid Dry Cleaning

COMMUNITY GAS CO.

Distributor For Skelly Products

76-1-5102

CLARK BROS. GARAGE

General Repair, Wrecker

Service

76-1-3353

**GOURLEY'S GOLDEN HYBRIDS** 

"The Best For Less"

See Your Local Dealer

Congratulations Class of '64

JAMISON'S

Floyd-Elzene

LANE IMPLEMENT

Your Harvester Dealer

76-1-2192

PEERLESS

Laundry & Dry Cleaners 214 East Main

54-2-2196

Clarinda Iowa

## YR1964PG091

**BRYSON 8, FRANKS IMPLEMENT** 

Allis Chalmers & New Idea

Lundell-Rotavator

"Service Is Our Specialty"

761-5892

JOHNSON'S RADIO & ELECTRIC SERVICE

Established Firm For Over 30 Years

761-3282

DANIELSON IMPLEMENT CO

John Deere Equipment

761-5212

VILLISCA MONUMENT WORKS

761-5342

WOLFE FUNERAL HOME

761-4142

PENWELL BROTHERS

Trucking & Grain Elevator

Morton Mills

761-4682

HONEYMAN DRUG STORE

"Visit Our Store For Drugs, Stationery, Cameras, Or Toilet Articles"

**ENARSON INSURANCE AGENCY Complete Insurance Service** 

761-3322

RIALTO

Best Wishes to

The Class of '64

....Rialto Theater

PALMQUIST HARDWARE

Radio-TV-Appliances

761-5272

## YR1964PG092

Izola's Flower And Tea Room

101 East First Street

Strait's Grocery

761-3226

Marvick Feed Mill

**Dodson Jewelry** 

L.A. Moser-Photography

Portraits-Weddings-Groups

Braden Manufacturing

Charles R. Artlip

Cream And Egg Route Service

Andrew Clothing Co. Nodaway Service Station

Ellis Grocery

761-7151

Sutphen Funeral Home

761-3312

Max Means Trucking

761-4872

Marsh Motors

Chrysler-Plymouth

Johnson's Grocery

Kendrick Construction Co.

761-5154

Karle's Bakery

Modern Beauty Shop

Ina Garland

G & S Plumbing & Heating

761-5181

Means Hardware

Nodaway Gas Co.

761-5435

Marsh Trucking

B & M Grocery & Cafe

Darwin's Do-lt

Darnold And Nisely

Draper Produce

Standard Oil

Weiners Super Market

761-2412

Lines Central Market

761-2332

Kendrick & Vance

761-5222

## YR1964PG093

INTER-COLLEGIATE PRESS

Kansas City Winnipeg

Yearbooks Yearbook Covers

Diplomas Graduation Announcements

## YR1965PG001

Presenting

The 1965 Bluejay

Villisca Community High School

Villisca, Iowa

## YR1965PG002

Foreword

Dear VCHS,

We stumbled into your vast halls; we listened; we followed. We are now preparing to leave and, we hope, to lead.

There is a sudden realization that we are staring into an uncertain future for we are now faced with the task of applying knowledge or failing to take full advantage of our background of learning.

Your ever-expanding facilities, excellent faculty, emphatic ideal of education, and inspiring attitude assist in the making of an intelligent citizen and a fully aware individual to face a complex society.

The "Great Society", local or national, offers a choice of roads for our future--employment or further formal education. Though the choice is difficult to make, through your guidance each of us should be able to search for the right path in life.

We look back with undying gratitude at the high ideals of our school and to the entire organization, which has

contributed time and effort in carrying out one of the world's oldest axioms--"Followers Today, Leaders

Tomorrow."

Elzene Gourley

Robert Shipley

### YR1965PG003

Dedication

He has been a patient and understanding mathematics teacher, helpful and influential in shaping the lives of his students. In addition to his able classroom leadership, he has been a willing and hardworking sponsor of the Annual, the Mathematics club, and the Senior class.

He is most admired for his sharp wit and good sense of humor, a valuable asset which he uses to perfection. With admiration and deepest respect, we proudly dedicate this 1965 Annual to Mr. Alan Bishop.

### YR1965PG004

### Administration

1965

STANDING, Left to Right: Don Means, Gerald Maxwell, Tom Rusk, Fred Bryson, Louis Sullivan. SITTING: Ruth Pogue, president; Roberta Dickey.

SUPERINTENDENT LOUIS A. SULLIVAN

PRINCIPAL ROBERT MC CORMICK

### YR1965PG005

Faculty

# YR1965PG006

JANICE LEWIS

B.A. Simpson Commercial

CORRELLA MASON

B.A. Simpson

M.S. Iowa State University Home Economics

FTA Sponsor

PATRICIA WISSLER

B.A. Nebraska Wesleyan Vocal Music

MARJORIE STILLIANS

B.A. State University of Iowa Graduate work at several colleges

Psychology, American History Y-Teen Club Sponsor

FLORENCE BURRISH

State University of Iowa - B.A. English 9, 11, 12 Journalism

Volcano Sponsor

JACOB GRASMICK

B.A. Dana

Graduate work at the U. of N. Government, Economics World History

Coach

Letterman Club Sponsor

## YR1965PG007

ALAN BISHOP

B.S. Iowa State University Mathematics -

Sr. Class Sponsor Annual Staff Sponsor

GEORGE MC VICKER

B.S. Tarkio College Biology

Coach

Letter Club Sponsor

HAROLD WENGERT

B.A. State College of Iowa Chemistry, Physics, Physical Science

Science Club Sponsor Assistant Coach

NORTON STOKES Studyhall Monitor

CHAROLETTE MC CORMICK

Parsons B.A.

Girls' Physical Education

MARY BOLAND

B.A. University of Missouri

Spanish

English 9

Spanish Club Sponsor

Jr. Class Sponsor

## YR1965PG008

KIM SMITH

B.A. Grinnell English, Speech Drama Sponsor

LILA M. GARDNER

B.A. Nebraska State Teachers

Latin

Head Librarian

Librarian Sponsor

Latin Club Sponsor

**CECIL RAWSON** 

B.S. Nebraska State College, at Peru

Mathematics, Industrial Arts Electronics

DALE SPENCER

B.S. Iowa State University Vocational Agriculture FFA Sponsor

**DUANE JOHNSON** 

B.A. Nebraska University M.A. Colorado State College Instrumental Music

Sr. Class Sponsor

PAUL BARKER

B.A. - N. W. Missouri State

College

Commercial

FTA Sponsor

Jr. Class Sponsor

Coach

Letter Club Sponsor

## YR1965PG009

## Cooks

The cooks play an important role in our school. Many hours of hard work are spent in the preparation and serving of our meals. We gratefully acknowledge our appreciation to them.

FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: Mrs. John Meyers, Mrs. Clyde Stackhouse, Mrs. Robert Brannan, Mrs. Glenn Doan, and Mrs. Glen TenEyck.

Janitors

The custodians are an indispensable part of VHS. Not only are their services available whenever needed, but the janitors can be depended upon to work late hours to keep our school in good condition.

FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: Eldon Boese, Alvin Zelmer.

Pictured repairing goal posts after Homecoming victory.

## YR1965PG010

The duties of the secretaries are many and varied, from answering phones to issuing books, excuses and hall passes.

Their work is much appreciated in the school.

JUDITH GUTHRIE Superintendent's Office

ANEITA WHEELER Principal's Office

Secretaries

**Bus Drivers** 

Lawerence Lewis Jim Mulligan Floyd Marvick Earl Fryer

John Kemery Bob Woodward Gerald Shipley Art Pullen

John Frazee, Mgr. Mrs. John Frazee Gladys Abbott Jerry Cooper Julius March

## YR1965PG011

Seniors

### YR1965PG012

**DUANE JOHNSON Class Sponsor** 

ALAN BISHOP Class Sponsor

**GARRY ROBERTS** 

"If girls interfere with work----quit work."

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 3, 4; Band Marching 1, 2; Concert 1, 2; Letterman Club 3,4; Science Club 3,4; SecTreas. 4; Student Council 4; Class Sec. 2; Class Vice-Pres. 3; Class Pres. 4; Volcano Staff 3,4.

CRAIG MARVICK

"Work doesn't bother me and I don't bother work."

Football 1, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Band - Marching, Concert, Dance, Pep 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1; Drama Club 4; Letterman Club 3, 4; Science Club 3, 4; Vice-Pres. 4; Math Club 4; Teen Haven Pres. 4; Student Council 4; Class VicePres. 4; Volcano 3,4; Honorable Mention Basketball 3.

quit

## JOAN ROBINSON

"Oh!! Will a week ever pass that everything goes right?" Varsity Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Band - Marching, Concert 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Pres. 4; Soloist 3,4; Instrumental Group 3, 4; Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 4; Student Council 4; Drama Club 3,4; Class Sec. 4; Volcano 3, 4; Band Queen 4; Candidate 2, 3,4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Track Queen Candidate 1, 3; Little All-State 4.

JERRY SKAHILL

"A big smile and loud pipes get attention in life."

Football 1,4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 4; Letterman Club 3, 4; FFA 4; Class Treasurer 3,4; Volcano 3,4; Honorable Mention All-Conference (football) 4.12

## YR1965PG013

REBECCA BAKER "A sigh at many----but love only one." Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Track Queen Candidate 3; Band Queen Candidate 3,4; Junior Varsity Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 2; Chorus 1,2, 3;

Vocal Group 2; Drama Club 2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Latin Club 3.

VICKIE BLANK

"Small, but so is a stick of dynamite." Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Track 3,4; Softball 3, 4; Chorus 1; Drama Club 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Office Secretary 4; FTA 2, 3; Speech Declam 3.

JOHN BOGGESS

"At fourteen John not only understood Einstein, he disagreed with him." Band - Marching, Concert, Pep, 1,2,3, 4; Dance Band 2,3,4; Soloist 1,2; Instrumental Group 2; Science Club 2,3,4; Secretary-Treasurer 2, 3; President 4; Math Club Vice-President 4; Student Council 4; FTA 2,3,4, Sec. 3; Volcano 3,4; District Vice-President of FTA. MARILYN BOGGESS

"It might be unconstitutional; but I always pray before a test."

Band-Marching, Concert, Pep, 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 3; Chorus 1,2,3; Vocal Group 3; Soloist 3,4; Accompanist 2,3,4; Instrumental Group 1,2, 3,4; Drama Club 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Volcano 3, 4; Manager 4; Typing Award 3.

LINDA BROWN

"I didn't live long--- single."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Drama Club 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman Club 3,4; Office Secretary 4. PATRICIA BROWNLEE

"If silence were gold she'd be a millionaire."

Band - Marching, Concert 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Council 4, (Secretary); Soloist 2, 3, 4; Instrumental Group 2,3,4; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Volcano 3, 4; Shorthand Award 3.

### YR1965PG014

**DENNIS CHANEY** 

"There are two days I never worry about ----today and tomorrow."

Football 2, 4; Track 3, 4; Chorus 1; Drama Club 3, 4; Letterman Club 4; Science Club 4; Class Play 3. IOHN CLARK

"Why should the devil have all the fun?"

MELVIN COLTER

"The harder I try to be gooder, the worser I am."

Baseball 3,4; Band-Marching 3,4; Concert 2,3,4; Pep 2,3,4; Band Council 4; Band Soloist 2,3,4; Drama Club 4; Science Club 2, 3,4; Math Club 4, President 4; FFA 1, 2; Student Council 4; Annual Staff 3; Volcano Staff 3, 4; Iowa Junior Academy of Science 4; Creston Little All-State 4.

KAREN COOPER

"I'll do anything once."

Jr. Varsity Cheerleader 2; Chorus 2; Drama Club 3,4; Y-Teens 2,3,4; Shorthand Award 3.

JANET DAY

"Why is everybody always picking on me?

Basketball Manager 1; Drama Club 1,2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 3; Science Club 3,4; Librarian 2,3,4; Office Secretary 4; FTA 2,3,4; Volcano 3, 4, Editor 4.

CAROLYN DRESSER

"I'm happiest when farthest from pen and book."

Chorus 1; Drama Club 4; Y-Teens 2,3, 4; FTA 2,4.

### YR1965PG015

JOEL EMBREE

"How come my temperature is never normal when I see a blonde?"

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1,2; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman Club 3,4; President 4; Student Council 1,4. CATHI FAST

"I can resist anything---except temptation."

Chorus 1,2; Vocal Group 2; Y-Teens 1, 2,3,4.

CHARLOTTE FRYER

"I talk, I laugh, and if it's necessary, I work."

Girls' Glee Club 2; Chorus 1,2,3; Vocal Group 2; Drama Club 3,4; Y-Teens 2,3,4, Vice -Pres . 4.

DARREL FULTON

"Women disturb me not."

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman Club 3, 4, Vice-Pres . 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Sentinel 2, Treas. 3, Vice-Pres. 4 ELZENE GOURLEY

"A head full of knowledge, a heart full of music."

Band- -Marching 1, 2, 3,4; Concert 1,2,3, 4; Dance 2,3,4; Pep 3, 4; Chorus 1, 3, 4; Vocal Group 1, 2, 3; Soloist 1; Accompanist 1, 3, 4; Instrumental Group 3; Drama Club 3, 4; Thespians 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 3,

RICHARD GREENEIELD

"I can drive better with one hand than most men can with two."

President 4; Cabinet 2,3,4; Student Council 3, 4; Class Play 3.

Teen Haven Council 1,3; FTA 1,2,3,4; Sec. 2, Vice-Pres. 3, Pres. 4; Student Council 4; Class Treas. 1; Annual Staff 4; Star Green-hand 1; Outstanding Sophomore.

## YR1965PG016

DAVID GUFFEY

"The full measure of a man's character is what he would do if he knew he wouldn't be found out."

Track 1,2; Chorus 1; Drama Club 3,4; Letterman Club 3; FFA 3, 4

NORMAN HAUSEN

"I belive in work, but I'm not in favor of it."

Basketball 1; Drama Club 4; FFA 1,2,3, 4; Parliamentarian 3; Sentinel 4.

DAVID HULL

"I agree with no man's opinion, I have a few of my own."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Band Marching, Concert, Dance, Pep 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2, 3; Soloist 1, 2, 3; Instrumental Group 3,4; Drama Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman Club 3, 4; Spanish Club 3; Teen Haven Council 2. DALE JOHNSON

"OK----I'll do it tomorrow." FFA 1,2,3,4; Reporter 4.

LARRY JOHNSON

"I did nothing in particular and did it well."

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Concert and Marching; Chorus 3; Soloist 2,

3; Drama Club 4; Math Club 4; Class Play 3; Annual Staff 3, 4; Volcano Staff 3,

4; National Merit Scholarship letter of Commendation.

JUANITA JOHNSON

"I don't really care much about school---but I do like co-education."

Y-Teens 2,3,4; Librarians 2,3,4; Sec.

3; Office Secretary 4.

### YR1965PG017

BARBARA KUHN

"I don't mean to flirt, that's just the way I am."

Chorus 2; Drama Club 4; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Librarian 3, 4; Vice-President 4; Shorthand Award 3. STEVEN LAIRE

"I've made a fool of myself many times just trying to prove I wasn't an idiot." Baseball 2; Track 1; Band -

Marching, Concert 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance 3, 4; Pep 1,2, 3,4; Boys' Glee

Club 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Vocal Group 1,2, 3; Soloist 1; Instrumental Group 4; Letterman Club 3,4; Math Club 4; Operetta 2; Little All State 4.

### **DUANE LEWIS**

"I sure didn't sleep last night, but I made up for it in class."

Football 3: Basketball Manager 1.

ROSE ANN OLSON

"Ask not what I can do for you, but what you can do for me."

Chorus 1; Drama Club 4; Y-Teens 1,2, 3, 4; FTA 2,4.

JACK PARKHURST

"I like a girl with a good head --on my shoulder."

Football 1, 2, 3; Band - Marching, Dance, Pep, Concert, 1,2, 3, 4; Drum Major 4; Basketball 2; Chorus 1; Instrumental Group 3, 4; Drama 1, 2,3,4; Vice-Pres. 3, Pres. 4; Thespians 2, 3,4; One Act Play 3; Student Council 1, 3,4; FTA 4; Class Officer 3, 4; Vice-Pres. 1, Pres. 3; Speech 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3.

**DONNA PENWELL** 

"A giggle, a dash, a shriek, a crash----that's me." Cheerleader - Junior Varsity 1, Varsity 2, 3, 4; Head Cheerleader 4; Band-Marching, Concert 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Council 3; Chorus 1, 2; Vocal Group 1,2; Teen-Haven Council 2, 3, 4; Secretary 2; Vice-Pres. 4; Student Council 4; Band Queen Candidate 1, 2, 3; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Track Queen Candidate 1,2, 3; Y-Teen 1,2,3,4.

### YR1965PG018

LARRY PERRIN

"I've served my term in school, now let me out."

**GAIL PULLEN** 

"Oh...if the Navy only had docks closer at hand."

 $Basketball\ 1,\ 2,\ 3;\ Track\ 3;\ Girl's\ Glee\ Club\ 2;\ Chorus\ 1,2;\ Vocal\ Group\ 1,2;\ Drama\ Club\ 4;\ Y-Teens\ 1,\ 2,\ 3,\ 4;$ 

Office Secretary 4; Class Secretary 1; Class Treasurer 2.

NANCY QUINN

"She takes the T out of can't."

Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Librarian 2, 3, 4; Social Chairman 4; FTA 2, 3; Shorthand Award 3.

STEVEN RIDENOUR

"Skill in sports and pastimes."

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3,4; Track 1; Chorus 1; Letterman Club 4; Football Honorable Mention 4.

DAVID ROBERTS

"If there's nothing to do--let me do it." Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' Glee Club 4; Chorus 4; Vocal Group 4; FFA 1,2, 3, 4.

LARRY ROBERTS

"All I've learned I've forgotten----All I know I've guessed." Baseball 4; Drama Club 4; FFA 1,2,3, 4.

## YR1965PG019

**CONNIE RUPP** 

"Generally speaking, she's generally speaking."

Band - Marching 1,2; Concert 1,2; Chorus 1,2; Drama Club 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 2, 4; Librarian 2, 3, 4; President 4; Office Secretary 4; Student Council 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4.

RICHARD RUPP

"If at first you don't

succeed tr

something sneaky." Student Council 4; President 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3,4; Letterman Club 3, 4; Drama Club 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Sentinel 3; Secretary 4.

**DENNIS SCOTT** 

"Once badly injured when a train of thought ran through his mind."

#### ROBERT SHIPLEY

"If you can't win it honestly--take it."

Football 1. 2: Math Club 4: Volcano Staff 3. 4.

JOLENE SMITH

"I was meant for an angel, but accidents do happen." Basketball 2, 3, 4; Girls Track 3; Band-Marching, Concert, 1, 2, 3, 4; Soloist 3; Instrumental Group 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3, 4; Typing Award 3; Little All State 4. KATHY SOLT

"I'm a smart gal, but I have a hard time convincing anyone." Drama Club 3, 4; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4.

### YR1965PG020

### RICHARD SPRAGUE

"High school days have their delights, but can't compare with high school nights.

Football 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3; Student Council 1; Drama Club 4.

### JANET STRAIN

"Late hours aren't good for one, but they are all right for two."

Cheerleader - Jr. Varsity 2, 3, Varsity 4; Chorus 2, 3; Drama Club 2, 3, 4; Y-

Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 4; Office Secretary 4; Student Council 3; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Shorthand Award 3.

### **OLIN STRAIT**

"I admire work--I can sit and watch it for hours."

### DIANE SUNDERMAN

"Her heart is like the moon----it has a man in it."

Homecoming Queen 4; Queen of Hearts 3; Band Queen Candidate 4; Cheerleader Jr. Varsity 1, Varsity 2,3,4;

Band Marching, Concert, 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Band 2, 3, 4; Band Council 3; Soloist 2, 3; Instrumental Group 3;

Drama Club 3,4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Office Secretary 2,4; Student Council 2,3,4;

Secretary 4; Class President 1; Annual Staff 2,3,4; Editor 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4; Y-Teen Outstanding Underclassman 3; Shorthand Award 3; Drama Council 4; Tall Corn Conference Festival 2; Little All State 4.

## LYNDA SUTPHEN

"If business interferes with pleasure, drop the business." Basketball 1, 2; Golf 1,2,3; Chorus 1; Vocal Group 1; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teen Cabinet 1; Letterman Club 2, 3, 4; Secretary 4; Science Club 3,4; Librarian 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 3; Volcano 3,4; Business Manager 4; Ass't Office Sec. 4; Freshman Sextet 1.

## BETTY

## **TEMPLETON**

"I'll prove useful in a pinch---if you pinch hard enough." Chorus 1; Drama Club 4; Y-Teens 2, 3,4; FTA 1,2,3.

## YR1965PG021

## DOROTHY TEMPLETON

"I'm learning a lot, but school interferes."

Chorus 1; Drama Club 4; Y-Teens 1, 3,4; FTA 1,2,3,4; President 4.

## BARBARA UNITS

"I'm not denying that women are foolish, after all they were made to match men. " Chorus 4; Y-Teens, 2, 3, 4;. Librarians 2,

3, 4; Social Chairman 3; FTA 2; Shorthand Award 3.

### BARBARA WAGAMAN

"You can't believe everything you hear, but you can repeat it."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Band - Marching, Concert 1,2, 3,4; Band Council 1; Chorus 1; Vocal Group 1; Soloist 4; Instrumental Group 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman Club 3,4; Teen Haven Council 1, 3; Secretary 3; Office Secretary 3; Class Secretary 3; Volcano 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Typing Award 2; Band Queen Candidate 1; Little All State 4.

#### MARY WINTHER

"The gladdest words of tongue or pen; tonight I get the car again." Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Librarian 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 3; FTA 2,3.

## YR1965PG022

Senior Snaps

#### YR1965PG023

Underclassmen

### YR1965PG024

Juniors

ROW ONE: Barbara Kemery, Helen Brannan, Janet Stein, Judy Skahill, Norma Means, Jean Smith, Christina Delaney, Ann White, Carolyn Everett. ROW TWO: Diana Scott, Wilhemena Paulsen, Carolyn Webster, Bonnie Jackson, Mary Clark, Ellen Doll, Connie Jackson, Sharon Burton, Linda Robinson. ROW THREE: Linda Taylor, Mikki Enarson, DyAnn Needham, Linda Fryer, Becky Alexander, Fred Gourley, Joe Shipley, Clarence Peterson, Linda Weaver, Sue Gourley, Jacqyelyn Gray. ROW FOUR: Shirley Perrin, Claude Peterson, Bonnie Holder, Linda Fisher, Beverly Wagaman, Marilyn Greenfield, Barbara Penwell, Linda Artlip, Mike Hoopes, Bob Frey, John Carmichael, John Fengel. ROW FIVE: Steve Hatfield, John Newberg, Cheryl Marsh,' Linda Kendrick, Mable Wilson, Barbara Johnson, Judy Long, Jolane Olander, Bill Bangston, Richard Yarrington. ROW SIX: Tom Wilhelm, Mearl Coy, Danny Johnson, Diane Peterson, Jean Shipley, Janet Neal, Clark Moritz, Alan Gridley, Larry Fast. ROW SEVEN: Bob Johnson, Dennis Maxwell, Larry Johnson, Doug Bloom, Ross Parker, Dennis Cooney, Gary Kernen.

### YR1965PG025

## Sophomores

ROW ONE: Kay McCoy, Susan Guthrie, Marcella Greenfield, Shari Greenfield, Susy Boggess, Sherry Gourley, Pat Gourley, Tracy Gidley. ROW TWO: Micheal Higgins, Alan Wolfe, Vickie Buckneberg, Janet Fryer, Larry McCelland, Merle Derry, Gene Sunderman, Coleen Freshour. ROW THREE: Richard Lane, Eddie Day, Theresa Lowe, Linda Golay, Sharon Anderson, Pat Haley, Don Jackson, Delores Erickson, Karen Kelly, Tom Graham. ROW FOUR: Lewis Davies, Jerry Sprague, Sharon Perrin, Lauri Woodward, Micheal Schrader, Cindy Sullivan, Barb Means, Chris Gunderman, David Agnew, Loyce Strait, Rolland Bradley. ROW FIVE: Paula Shipley, Cathy Shipley, Marjorie Focht, Anne Neal, Sandy Haley, Loren Larson, Susan Peterson, Nancy Skahill. ROW SIX: Olin Holder, Bob Ross, Stephen Fisher, Steve Boggess, Richard Larson, Jim Robinson, Kirk Simpson, Craige Baker. ROW SEVEN: Russell Scott, Phil Wertman, Bob Mullen, Kirk Franson, Steve Stein, Neil McCoy.

## YR1965PG026

Freshmen

FRONT ROW, Left to Right: Colleen Lewis, Eula Doll, Don Bowling, Randy Scott, Gregory Ward, Garry Roberts, Kenneth Blank. SECOND ROW: Mr. Rawson (sponsor), Jini Hausen, Linda Ridenour, Rachel Spencer, Kris Gidley, Judy Raney, Janet Skahill. THIRD ROW: Lorna Embree, Julia Parker, Sandra Motsinger, Meri Lowe, Linda Rucker, Douglas Maxwell, Clifton Anderson. FOURTH ROW: Carol Dickey, Janice Newberg, Connie Franson, Paula Means, Judy Goettsch, Sherry Fryer, Marie Stephens, Nikki Bangston. FIFTH ROW: Beverly Peterman, Doug Scott, Larry McAlpin, Danny McCue, Darwin Peterson, Bill Jacobs, Nancy Focht, Gwen Alexander. FRONT ROW, Left to Right: Judy Moates, Mary Peterson, Rebecca Poore, Ruth Gay, Stella Delaney. SECOND ROW: Mike Sprague, Dennis Haley, Marvin White, Raymond Sutphen, Steve Loghry, Mr. Grasmick, (Sponsor). THIRD ROW: Darwin Cozad, Jim Simms, Carol

Roth, Betty Gibson, Karla Russell, Lee Gard, Bill Taylor. FOURTH ROW: Becky Anderson, Norma Bisbee, Elizabeth Peterson, Janice Long, Lois Williams, Judy Kendrick, Elaine Darnold. FIFTH ROW: Mike Enarson, Kurt

Eno, Chuck Dukes, Richard Smith, Harvey Weaver, Fred Bryson, Larry Rhamy. SIXTH ROW: Joel Fengel, Richard Bangston, Michael Dukes, Mike Selby, Steve Marsh, Don Case.

## YR1965PG027

Social

### YR1965PG028

1964 Homecoming Queen Diane Sunderman

#### YR1965PG029

Janet Strain

Becky Baker

Joan Robinson

Donna Penwell

### YR1965PG030

Homecoming Parade

1st FFA Silent Spring

2nd Sophomores Gone with the Wind

3rd Freshmen The Tale of Two Cities

Football Team

Queen's Float Cinderella

Cheerleaders

## YR1965PG031

Court Royalty

## YR1965PG032

Junior-Senior Prom and Banquet

## YR1965PG033

Junior-Senior Prom and Banquet

## YR1965PG034

## 1964 Band Queen

Joan Robinson

Joan Robinson was selected by VHS band members to represent Villisca at the annual Clarinda Band Jamboree. She was chosen on the basis of beauty, poise, and personality. Other candidates were Barbara Means, Linda Weaver, Becky Baker, and Diane Sunderman.

Joan was among the top five finalists. This selection was based on her appearance in the afternoon parade and at the evening banquet.

March of Dimes

King and Queen

Becky Baker and Jack Parkhurst were selected by the student body from the Junior and Senior classes as March of Dimes King and Queen. As representatives of Villisca, they attended the county March of Dimes dance in Red Oak.

Co-chairmen for the Teen-Age Program in Villisca were Becky Baker and Joan Robinson. A blockade, crutch sale, and candy day were held to raise money.

Becky Baker and Jack Parkhurst

### YR1965PG035

Sports

#### YR1965PG036

Letter Club

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Mr. Barker, Joel Embree, Mr. Grasmick. SECOND ROW: Tom Graham, Craige Baker, Linda Brown, Rolland Bradley, Fred Gourley. THIRD ROW: Garry Roberts, Richard Rupp, Barb Wagaman, Norma Means, Jim Robinson, Dave Roberts. FOURTH ROW: Bolo Johnson, Dave Hull, Nancy Skahill, Linda Kendrick, Bill Bangston, Tom Wilhelm. FIFTH ROW: Jerry Skahill, Clark Moritz, Linda Fisher, Linda Artlip, Gary Kernen, Dennis Chaney. SIXTH ROW: Steve Ridenour, Steve Laire, Anne Neal, Diane Peterson, Doug Bloom, Ross Parker. SEVENTH ROW: Craig Marvick, Phil Wertman, Jolane Olander, Linda Sutphen, Larry Fast, Darrel Fulton.

The Letter Club consists of athletes who have lettered in at least one

sport. The purpose of the club is to recognize these athletes and to promote good sportsmanship.

This year the Letter Club joined with the FFA in sponsoring a donkey basketball game.

Club officers are Joel Embree, president; Darrel Fulton, vice-president; Lynda Sutphen, secretary; and Larry Fast. treasurer.

### YR1965PG037

Cheerleaders

The 1964 junior varsity cheerleaders were Vickie Buckneberg, Becky Alexander, Barbara Penwell, Lorna Embree, and Becky Baker.

The 1964 varsity cheerleaders were Donna Penwell, Barbara Means, Janet Strain, Joan Robinson, and Diane Sunderman

## YR1965PG038

**Booster Club** 

The booster club continued to serve the athletes of VHS during this year as they have in the past. They have done much to promote athletics in Villisca and they deserve

a big thanks for their fine work.

The Booster Club continued to sponsor the pep buses for all away games, The club took on a new interest this year as they filmed some of VHS home football games.

The most important event of the Booster Club year was the annual Athletic Banquet. This years banquet featured Bob Adwers, Manager of the Omaha Mustangs football team as the speaker.

## YR1965PG039

Our Faculty

Boy! Those rotten eggs STINK!!

Good ole 7-up!!!

That Norton!!!

I surrender !!!!!!!

Our Superintendent!!!

And---This one I stold

What does the book say about this case?

Story time kiddies

And---The pain starts here!

### YR1965PG041

1964 Bluejay Squad

BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: Kirk Simpson, Roland Bradley, Mike Selby, Harvey Weaver, Larry Rhamy, Tom Graham, Craig Baker, Gene Sunderman, and Bill Jacobs. SECOND ROW: Steve Marsh (Mgr), Bob Mullen, Richard Smith, Fred Bryson, Joel Fengel, Chuck Dukes, Richard Bangston, Bob Ross, Mike Enarson, Jim Robinson, Mike Dukes, Kirk Franson, and Kenny Blank (Mgr). TOP ROW: Richard Rupp, Larry Fast, Jerry Skahill, Garry Roberts, Joel Embree, Darrel Fulton, Phil Wertman, Craig Marvick, Steve Ridenour, Dennis Chaney, Doug Bloom, Clark Moritz, and Gary Kernen.

The 1964 Bluejay football team was the most successful one in several years. The Jays posted a record of 3 wins and 6 losses.

The Freshman - Sophomore team posted a 4 win and 1 loss season record, and it seems as if VHS football fortunes are looking up.

The season ended successfully with Senior fullback Joel Embree being named to a 1st team All-Conference berth and guard Garry Roberts and tackle Darrel Fulton to 2nd team spots. Phil Wertman, Gary Kernen, Jerry Skahill, Steve Ridenour, and Richard Rupp received honorable mention.

VARSITY			RES	ERVES	
Sept. 11	Griswold	6-25	Sept. 14	Red Oak	2-13
18	Lenox	20- 0	Oct. 5	Lenox	7-0
25	Greenfield	6-19	12	Bedford	26- 0
Oct. 2	East Union	20- 0	19	Corning	59-0
9	Bedford	18-35	26	Clarinda	42-13
16	Mt . Ayr	7-28			
23	Dexfield	6-32			
30	Glenwood	6-21			
Nov. 6	Corning	14- 0			

### YR1965PG042

CRAIG MARVICK (left) Tackle

DARREL FULTON

Tackle, All Conference Honorable Mention

**DENNIS CHANEY Guard** 

COACH

MC VICKER

CLARK MORITZ (left) Guard

**GARY KERNEN** 

Guard, Second Team All Conference

STEVE RIDENOUR End, All Conference Honorable Mention

### YR1965PG043

RICHARD RUPP (left) Halfback, Co-Captain All Conference Honorable Mention

GARRY ROBERTS Center, Co-Captain Second Team All Conference

JOEL EMBREE

Fullback, First Team All Conference

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JERRY SKAHILL (left)

End. All Conference Honorable Mention

LARRY FAST Halfback

PHIL WERTMAN Quarterback, All Conference Honorable Mention

### YR1965PG044

Varsity

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Norma Means, Linda Fisher, Lois Williams, Jolane Olander, Vicki Blank, Jolene Smith, Diane Peterson, Paula Means, Chris Gunderman, Linda Brown, Anne Neal, Barbara Wagaman, Linda Artlip. SECOND ROW, Susan Peterson, Manager; Paul Barker, coach; Nancy Skahill, Manager

LEFT TO RIGHT: Judy Raney, Linda Ridenour, Gwen Alexander, Sandy Haley, Carole Dickey, Janice Long, Kay McCoy, Sherry Gourley, Cindy Sullivan, Tracy Gidley, Kris Gidley, Harold Wengert (coach).

### YR1965PG045

NORMA MEANS guard
JOLANE OLANDER
Guard 2nd team all-conference
LINDA BROWN guard
ANNE NEAL guard
Honorable Mention all-conference
LINDA ARTLIP forward
2nd team all-conference

LINDA FISHER forward

LOIS WILLIAMS forward

BARBARA WAGAMAN forward

### YR1965PG046

Varsity

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Dave Hull, Clark Moritz, Bill Bangston, Tom Wilhelm, Phil Wertman, Steve Ridenour, Craig Marvick, Larry Johnson, Jerry Skahill, Gary Kernen, Dick Sprague, Bob Johnson. SECOND ROW: Coach Jake Grasmick.

Jr. Varsity

## YR1965PG047

CRAIG MARVICK Center
STEVE RIDNOUR Forward first team all conference
JERRY SKAHILL Guard
GARY KERNEN Guard
DICK SPRAGUE guard
BOB JOHNSON guard

## YR1965PG049

PHIL WERTMAN Forward

Boys' Golf Girls' Golf

### YR1965PG05

MILE RELAY TEAM: Joel Embree, Larry Fast, Mike Dukes, Richard Rupp set a new school record of 3:35.2.

## YR1965PG051

Queen Donna Penwell and her escort, Darrell Fulton.

Coach McVicker Coach Grasmick Donna Penwell reigned as queen of the 1965 Bluejay Relays. Other candidates were Diane Sunderman, Janet Stein, Linda Weaver, Barbara Means, and Lorna Embree. Escorts were Darrel Fulton, Jerry Skahill, Douglas Bloom, Alan Gridley, Jim Robinson, and Bill Jacobs. Flower girl was Sherry Fast, and crown bearer was Jim Parker.

### YR1965PG052

Seniors

Richard Rupp Garry Roberts Craig Marvick Joel Embree.

Track

Underclassmen

BACK ROW, Left to Right: Coach Grasmick's arm, Mike Dukes, Larry Fast, Ross Parker, Joel Fengel, Phil Wertman, Tom Wilhelm, Richard Bangston, Harvey Weaver, Richard Lane, Fred Gourley, Coach McVicker. FRONT ROW: Kenny Blank (manager), Mike Enarson, Mike Schrader, Larry Rhamey, Fred Bryson, Roland Bradley, Clark Moritz, Gary Kernen, Kurt Eno, Chuck Dukes, Dean Smith (manager).

## YR1965PG053

State Class "B"

**Indoor Track Champions** 

The Bluejay track team of 1965 will be remembered for a long time as a great team. The Jays truly showed great talent and determination and made the best showing of any track team in recent history.

The Bluejays started the season with a bang by winning the State Class "B" Indoor track title. The Jays won out over all other Class B schools in the state to bring home the state trophy.

After this honor was safely stowed in the trophy case, the Jays promptly proceeded to bring home more of the same. They handily won the Tiger Relays at Griswold, tied for the Tall Corn Conference Championship, and then, most prized of all, the Jays won their own Bluejay relays for the first time in the history of the event. The Jays competed in several other area meets and finished high in all of them. The Jays put a finishing touch to a successful season by capturing the District Class B title. The trophies collected by the team over the season were so numerous that they were placed in the main hall to be admired by all the student body. The student body of VHS is very proud of the track team. "Hats off to a great team and a great season!"

## YR1965PG054

Baseball

STANDING, Left to Right: Bill Bangston, Bob Johnson, Fred Gourley, Toni Graham, Coach Grasmick, Merle Derry, Fred Bryson, Mike Dukes, Doug Bloom, and Larry Rhamy. SITTING: Gary Kernen, Clark Moritz, Jerry Skahill, Melvin Colter, Steve Ridenour, and Phil Wertman.

		1965 BASEBALL	SCHEDULE	
June	1	East Union at Villisca	June 18	Villisca at East Union
June	4	Bedford at Villisca	June 22	Villisca at Bedford
June	8	Mt. Ayr at Villisca	June 25	Villisca at Mt. Ayr
June	11	Villisca at Lenox	June 29	Lenox at Villisca
June	15	Greenfield at Villisca	July 2	Villisca at Greenfield

Sectional Tournaments July 7,8,9,10,12,14

District Tournaments July 16,19

Substate Tournaments July 21,23

State Tournaments July 26

## YR1965PG055

Organizations

## YR1965PG056

Student Council

BACK ROW: Larry Fast, Norman Hausen, John Boggess, Craig Marvick, Melvin Colter, Dennis Maxwell, Joel Embree. SECOND: Janet Day, Richard Rupp, Richard Greenfield, Jack Parkhurst, Fred Bryson, Don Case, Fred Gourley, Gene Sunderman, Diane Sunderman, FRONT ROW: Donna Penwell, Barb Means, Joan Robinson, Linda Kendrick, Linda Artlip, Elzene Gourley, DyAnn Needham.

VICE-PRESIDENT: Fred Gourley PRESIDENT: Richard Rupp SECRETARY: Diane Sunderman

TREASURER: Richard Greenfield

NOT PICTURED:

Mr. McCormick

Sponsor

## YR1965PG057

Teen Haven Council

FRONT ROW: Lorna Embree Janet Stein SECOND ROW: Donna Penwell Sandy Haley

BACK ROW: Craig Marvick Phil Wertman Mrs. Charolette `McCormick, Sponsor

Danny Johnson Larry Rhamy

Adult Board

FRONT ROW: Mrs. Joe McCoy Mrs. Stanley Embree

Mrs. James Raney

SECOND ROW: Mrs. Van Buckneberg

Mrs. Stanley Johnson

BACK ROW: Willis Gourley Harold Robinson Orvis Wagaman Orville Fast

## YR1965PG058

The past year has been a most successful and active one for the FFA department.

In state contest, the Future Farmers were very successful. They received a gold award for crops farming, a silver medal on the scrapbook, a silver on the chapter exhibit, and bronze awards on farm mechanics, livestock farming, dairy farming, secretary's book, and program of work.

Two members of the chapter, Richard Greenfield and Richard Rupp received Iowa Farmer's Degrees, one of the highest awards in the state.

The FFA test plot yielded 163.7 bushels per acre. This yield was the 2nd highest in a four state area. In addition to these accomplishments, the chapter sponsored their annual Parent-Son Banquet, FFA Sweetheart Dance, the yearly hayride, and Freshman party. The chapter sponsored a donkey basketball game this year for the first time.

**Future Farmers of America** 

FFA Banquet Annual Hayride

## YR1965PG059

FFA

FFA Sweetheart Candidates

Program of Work

FFA Sweetheart Diane Sunderman

FIRST ROW: Richard Rupp, Secretary; Darrel Fulton, Vice President; Mr. Spencer, Advisor; Richard Greenfield, President; Larry Fast, Treasurer. SECOND ROW: Kirk Franson, Sentinel; Norman Hausen, Sentinel; Dale Johnson, Reporter; Gene Sunderman, Parliamentarian.

#### YR1965PG060

Y-Teen Club

President Elzene Gourley before the mirror donated by Y-Teens to the Girls' Physical Education Department.

The Y-Teens under the guidance of a new sponsor, Miss Stillians, have done much to fulfill their Y-Teen goals. Starting out the year was the initiation of all new members.

Other events and projects of the year include the Bird Bath Bob, the Fall Conference held at Essex, trick or treating for UNICEF, contributing to World Fellowship, and the annual Christmastime Kiddie Party.

## YR1965PG061

Y-Teen Club

CLUB OFFICERS

Vice-President Charlotte Fryer

President Elzene Gourley

Treasurer. . . . DyAnn Needham

Secretary . . . . Diane Sunderman SERVICE PROJECT

 $Several\ Y-Teen\ girls\ attended\ Legislature\ Day\ and\ Foreign\ Student\ Week\ End\ in\ Des\ Moines\ in\ the\ winter.$ 

The senior members served at the FFA banquet held in the spring.

The Mother-Daughter Tea was the last event of the year. Installation of new officers and the presentation of Y-Teen pins to the senior members were the highlights of this event.

MOTHER-DAUGHTER TEA

## YR1965PG062

Marching Band

Another successful year was in store for the Villisca Bluejay Band. In addition to receiving a second I at State Marching Contest, the band earned the first place trophy in Class B at the Clarinda Jamboree. The band also marched at Ak-Sar-Ben and gave a half time performance at one of the Mustang football games.

In May, the concert band went to large group contest at Red Oak where they received their fourth consecutive I rating.

The highlight of the year was being selected to play a concert at Iowa Bandmasters Association Convention at Mason City on May 28. The Villisca Band was the only band from Southwest Iowa that was chosen to attend the event and was one of 14 bands in the state that made the trip.

Stage Band

## YR1965PG063

**Band Council** 

THE BAND COUNCIL MEMBERS--LEFT TO RIGHT: Linda Artlip, Junior Representative; Pat Brownlee, Secretary; Joan Robinson, President; Mr. Johnson, Sponsor; Mel Colter, Senior Representative; Harvey Weaver, Freshman Representative; and Vicki Buckneberg, Sophomore Representative.

The Band Council was at the head of organizing projects for the band in order to raise money to make the trip to Mason City. A community dance was held and band members raked yards and washed windows and did

various jobs around the town in order to raise some of the money. Concert Band

### YR1965PG064

Mixed Chorus

Girls' Glee

### YR1965PG065

Boys' Glee

FIRST ROW: Gregory Ward Bill Jacobs Merle Derry Randy Scott

SECOND ROW: Mike Higgins Darwin Peterson David Roberts Bill Taylor Jim Simms

THIRD ROW: Steve Marsh Tom Wilhelm Joel Fengel Russell Scott

Select Chorus

FIRST ROW: Sherry Fryer Vickie Buckneberg Pat Gourley

SECOND ROW: Randy Scott Dy Ann Needham Bill Taylor Pat Haley

THIRD ROW: Merle Derry Judy Goettsch Loyce Strait Lauri Woodward Darwin Peterson

FOURTH ROW: Mike Higgins Joel Fengel

Tom Wilhelm David Roberts

## YR1965PG066

Drama Council

COUNCIL MEMBERS--FRONT ROW, Left to Right: Joan Robinson, Clerk; Cheryl Marsh, Secretary; Jack Parkhurst, President; Ross Parker, Vice President; and Helen Brannan, Treasurer. SECOND ROW: Gwen Alexander, Freshman Representative; Chris Gunderman, Sophomore Representative; Linda Kendrick, Junior Representative; Elzene Gourley, Thespian; and Diane Sunderman, Senior Representative.

Drama Club

## YR1965PG067

**Old Thespians** 

Jr. - Sr. Class Play "Our Town"

Thespians

One Act Play "Balcony Scene"

## YR1965PG068

FIRST ROW: Mrs. Mason, Sponsor; Judy Skahill, Beyerly Wagaman, Dy Ann Needham, Susan Guthrie, Karen Kelly, Mr. Barker, Cosponsor. SECOND ROW: Marie Stephens, Meri Lowe, Dorothy Templeton, Mary Peterson, Linda Taylor, Helen Brannan,

Ellen Doll, Ann White. THIRD ROW: Eula Doll, John Boggess, Jerry Skahill, Cheryl Marsh, Jack Parkhurst, Janet Day, Sharon Burton.

FTA

OFFICERS: Ann White, Historian; Judy Skahill, V-Pres.; Dorothy Templeton, Pres.; Beverly Wagaman, Sec.; Sharon Burton, Treas.; Janet Day, Parliamentarian.

The Future Teachers of America attended district and state conventions. Bev Wagaman was elected president of the district council at the convention held in Lenox.

In March, the members visited the grade schools to observe the typical day of elementary classroom instruction.

### YR1965PG069

This year the Foreign Language Club was divided into two separate organizations, Spanish and Latin.

The Spanish Club is sponsored by Miss Boland. The members were hosts to a dance held in the lunch room, January 16,

Spanish Club and Latin Club

Miss Gardner is the sponsor of the newly organized Latin Club. The members are, front row: Elaine Darnold, Marie Stephens, Nikki Bangston, Gwen Alexander, and Harvey Weaver. Middle: Miss Gardner, Cathi Fast, Darwin Peterson, Susy Boggess, and Ray Sutphen. Top: Rebecca Poore, Russell Scott, Cathy Shipley, Paula Shipley, Mike Enarson, and Jim Simms.

## YR1965PG070

**Annual Staff** 

STAFF MEMBERS STANDING, Left to Right: Linda Artlip (Jr. Editor), Jolane Olander, Helen Brannan, Danny Johnson, Tracy Gidley, Alan Bishop (Sponsor), Gene Sunderman. SITTING: Richard Greenfield, Barb Wagaman, Diane Sunderman (Editor), Larry Johnson.

HARD AT WORK

OUR SPONSOR

HOMECOMING DANCE

Much time and effort was put in by staff members in the making of the '65 annual. The staff sponsored the Homecoming Dance and also ran the concession stands at all home track meets. A new change in the annual was the writing of the Foreword by seniors Elzene Gourley and Robert Shipley. The selling of advertisements was also enlarged to surrounding towns in the area.

## YR1965PG071

Villisca Volcano

**EDITOR Janet Day** 

Managers Marilyn Boggess Lynda Sutphen

Printed monthly by the Review Printing Co.

Sponsor - Miss Florence Burrish

STAFF . John Boggess, Pat Brownlee, Melvin Colter, Larry Johnson, Craig Marvick, Garry Roberts, Joan Robinson, Connie Rupp, Bob Shipley, Jerry Skahill, Diane Sunderman, and Barbara Wagaman.

Journalism Class: Becky Alexander, Linda Artlip, Helen Brannan, Sue Gourley, Bob Johnson, Danny Johnson, Larry Johnston, Barbara Kemery, Linda Kendrick, Judy Long, Dennis Maxwell, DyAnn Needham, Jolane Olander, Ross Parker, Diane Peterson, Judy Skahill, Janet Stein, Linda Taylor, Beverly Wagaman, and Tome Wilhelm.

## YR1965PG072

Science Club

FIRST ROW: Steve Boggess, Kurt Eno, Ed Day, Lynda Sutphen. SECOND ROW: Rebecca Poore, Larry McClelland, Russell Scott, Gary Kernen, Janet Day. THIRD ROW: Darwin Peterson, Ray Sutphen, Larry Johnson, Marie Stephens, Melvin Colter. STANDING: Mr. Wengert (sponsor), Craig MarviclZ (Vice-Pres.), John Boggess (Pres.), Garry Roberts (Sec. - Treas.).

Math Club

FIRST ROW: Mr. Bishop (sponsor), Fred Gourley (Sec. - Treas.), John Boggess (Vice-Pres.), Melvin Colter (Pres.). SECOND ROW: Joe Shipley, Larry Johnson, Bob Shipley, Craig Marvick, Danny Johnson, Larry Johnson, Steven Boggess, Teri Lowe. THIRD ROW: Michael Enarson, Darwin Peterson, Mike Schrader, Steve Stein, Steve Laire, Richard Lane, Mike Higgins, Merle Derry, Larry McCalpin. FOURTH ROW: Fred Bryson, Harvey Weaver, Russell Scott, Craige Baker, Jim Robinson, Richard Lar son, Tom Graham, Kirk Simpson, Gary Kernen.

## YR1965PG073

Office Secretaries

The duties of the Office Secretaries are numerous and varied.

The Office Secretaries were: First Row: Vickie Blank, Linda Robinson, Juanita Johnson, Norma Means. SECOND ROW: Janet Day, Linda Weaver, Janet Strain, Connie Rupp, Linda Brown. THIRD ROW: Diane Sunderman, Linda Fisher, Cindy Sullivan, Barbara Johnson, Mable Wilson.

Librarians

FIRST ROW: Miss Gardner, Sponsor; Linda Fryer, Sec.; Barbara Kuhn, VicePres.; Nancy Quinn, Soc. Chm.; Connie Rupp, Pres. SECOND ROW: Juantia Johnson, Barbara Units, Helen Brannan, Shari Greenfield. THIRD ROW: Janet Day, Connie Jackson, Janet Stein, Sharon Burton, Deloris Erickson, Bonnie Jackson. TOP ROW: Beverly Wagaman, Lynda Sutphen, Jean Shipley, Mary Winther, Cathy Shipley.

### YR1965PG074

Registration Days New-Comers Linda Garey George Thomas Colleen Marckmann Shirley Garey

### YR1965PG075

Memories

## YR1965PG076

Awards Night
Elzene Gourley Chorus Award
Richard Rupp FFA Award
TOP SCHOLARS
Marilyn Boggess, John Boggess, Elzene Gourley
Jack Parkhurst Elzene Gourley
Barbara Wagaman H.Ec. Award
Melvin Colter Science Award
Marilyn Boggess Citizenship Award
Larry Johnson Math Award
Dorothy Templeton H.Ec. Award
Linda Kendrick English Scholarship
NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

## YR1965PG077

Senior Skip And Goofin' Off

## YR1965PG078

Commencement

## YR1965PG079

Rev. Hall Ushers Larry Fast, Linda Kendrick, DyAnn Needham, Fred Gourley. Rev. Saikaly Elzene Gourley vocal soloist. Connie Rupp piano soloist.

### YR1965PG080

This scene is the climax of four years of preparation by us seniors. It marks the end of one phase of our lives and the beginning of another. We seniors have looked forward to this ceremony for a long time, but when it finally arrived, many of us found that we weren't quite so anxious for it all to end.

Our class will always remember fondly the carefree days at VHS—the classes, the teachers, our fellow classmen, the work, the loafing, the laughter, sometimes the sadness. All of these and more have been a part of our lives for four years. We will sometimes wish, just for a moment, that we could relive our high school days. We will think of the underclassmen still trying to push Villisca to an even higher plateau just as we tried. We think of the teachers still trying to prepare their students for college or a job just as they did us. We'll feel just a little pride every time we hear the name of our school in connection with another honor or tryphy.

These are a few of the things which VHS has given us and we are all grateful for them.

We, the Class of "65" wish VHS students the best of luck in everything and we know that Villisca will continue to be the strong and efficient school system it is today with their competent leadership.

### YR1965PG082

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## Clarinda, Iowa

## YR1965PG087

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## PRESENTING...

THE 1966 BLUEJAY

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### DEDICATION

In addition to teaching freshman biology, he has been a tireless athletic coach, who has built a successful team in both football and track. Not only has he been an excellent coach for five years but also he has been recognized as an outstanding athlete in his own right.

To Mr. George McVicker, a dedicated and conscientious teacher and a highly respected member of our community, we proudly dedicate the 1966 Bluejay.

The 1966 Bluejay Staff

## YR1966PG004

# SCHOOL BOARD

Louis Sullivan, Superintendent; Ruth Pogue, Fred Bryson, President; Roberta Dickey, Secretary; Tom Rusk, Gerald Maxwell, Don Means, Vice-President.

ADMINISTRATION

DR. LOUIS SULLIVAN Superintendent ROBERT MC CORMICK Principal

## YR1966PG005

**FACULTY** 

PAUL BARKER NW Missouri State Commercial FLORENCE BURRISH' Iowa University English JUAN CALVO Havana University Spanish JACK FULLER Emporia State Chemistry, Physics LILA GARDENER Nebraska State Latin, Library JACOB GRASMICK Dana Social Sciences, Coach JANICE LEWIS Simpson Commercial, English

**CORRELLA MASON Simpson Home Economics** 

### YR1966PG006

THOR MC MILLEN NW Missouri State Vocal Music

GEORGE MC VICKER Tarkio College Biology, Coach

CECIL RAWSON Nebraska State Industrial Arts, Algebra

BILL SCOTT Mathematics, Coach

KIM SMITH Grinnell English, Speech

DALE SPENCER Iowa State University Vocational Ag.

NORTON STOKES Studyhall Monitor

MARJORIE STILLIANS State University of Iowa U. S. History, Psychology

**GAYLIN SUDIK Peru State College Instrumental Music** 

#### YR1966PG007

New to VHS this year is Mr. Dwight Lewis, who is employed as a guidance counselor. It is his job to help students in deciding on their future vocations. He has literature on colleges, trade schools, and service careers in his office which is located across from the principal's office.

Mr. Lewis is at the school for counselling services every other day. He found time to talk to all the seniors at least once and held group vocational sessions with the juniors.

**SECRETARIES** 

Although the office secretaries do a lot of work, they receive little credit for it. They are in charge of the numbering and handing out of all school books, the selling of lunch tickets, keeping records of the money of all the clubs and classes, various typing jobs, and other jobs which may arise, besides being full time secretaries to the principal and the superintendent.

ANEITA WHEELER Principal's Office

JUDITH GUTHRIE Superintendent's Office

**JANITORS** 

The janitors, Paul Northup and Alvin Zellmer, are vital to the operation of the cleaning of the school, having the doors locked and unlocked at the right times, mowing the school lawns, making repairs, and many other jobs.

## YR1966PG008

COOKS

The cooks play a very important part in our school. They spend many hours working to prepare and serve our meals. We gratefully acknowledge our appreciation to them.

Mrs. Harry

Weaver Mrs. Glen

TenEyck Mrs. Robert

Brannan Mrs. Clyde

Stackhouse

**BUS DRIVERS** 

Lawrence Lewis Floyd Marvick Glen TenEyck John Frazee, Mgr. Lois Frazee John Kemery Jim Milligan Bob Woodward Jerry Cooper Julius March Darwin Lewis Wayne Johnson Gladys Abbot

## YR1966PG009

Seniors

## YR1966PG010

KIM SMITH

Sponsor

DANNY JOHNSON

"Cheer up, the worst is yet to come." Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Class President 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 3, 4; Math Club 3, 4, Officer 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Teen Haven Council 3.

PAUL BARKER

Sponsor

**DENNIS MAXWELL** 

"If you're a man of few words, you don't have to take so many back. " Basketball 1, 2, 3; Class Officer 4; Student Council 3; Band 1, 2; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 2, 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4.

NORMA MEANS

"Good things come in small packages." Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 2, 3; Letter Club 3, 4; Office Secretary 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 4; Drama Club 3; Teen Haven Council 1.

CLARK MORITZ

"Time tells on a man, especially a good time.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter Club 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1; Band 1, 2; Drama Club 3, 4; Band Council 1.

### YR1966PG011

### BECKY ALEXANDER

"Education is not achieved through work alone. "

Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Queen 4; Drama Club 1, 2, 3, 4 Spanish Club 2; Volcano Staff 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabi net 3; Science and Humanities Symposium1965.

LINDA ARTLIP

"Late hours aren't good for one, but they are all right for 2"

Basketball 1, 2,3, 4; Softball 2; Letter Club 2,3, 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4, Officer 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Council 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 2; Solo I 3, Small Groups 1, 2, 3; Drama Club 1,2, 3, 4, Drama Council 4; Spanish Club 2; Volcano Staff 3, 4; Annual Staff 2, 3, 4, Editor 4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4.

HELEN BRANNAN

"I'm witty and clever and once in awhile I'm intelligent."

Cheerleader 4; Student Council 4, President 4; Office Sec. 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance 4; Creston Little All-State 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 4, Cabinet 4; Drama Club 1,2, 3, 4, Officer 3, Council 3, 4, Thespian 3, 4; FTA 3; Librarians 2, 3; Volcano Staff 3, 4, Manager 4; Annual Staff 3, 4.

**BILL BANGSTON** 

"Do unto the other fellow the way he'd do unto you, but do it first."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 4; Golf 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA 1, 2.

DOUG BLOOM

"No one can enjoy life alone."

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1; Baseball 3; Letter Club 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 4.

## YR1966PG012

SHARON BURTON

"It's nice to be natural if you are naturally nice.

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 2, 3; Spanish Club 2; FTA 2, 3, 4, Officer 3, 4, Cabinet 3, 4; Librarians 3, 4, Officer 4. JOHN CARMICHAEL

"He tried to be dignified but his actions betrayed him. "

Track 1, 2, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4.

MARY ANITA CLARK

"Things aren't always the way they seem.

Y-Teens 1.

MEARL COY

"He rattles on, just like his cars."

Baseball 1.

**DENNIS COONEY** 

"Happy to be here, happier to go."

FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 3, 4; Thespians 4.

#### YR1966PG013

**CHRISTINA DELANEY** 

"There's nothing like having a good time."

Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1, 2.

ELLEN DOLL

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 4;

FTA 1, 2, 3, 4.

MIKKI ENARSON

"Cheerfully she goes on her way, being friendly every day."

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 4; Drama Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

LARRY FAST

"Lead him not into temptation, just show him the way."

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter Club 2, 3, 4, Officer 3, 4; FFA 1,2, 3, 4, Officer 2, 3, President 4.

CAROLYN EVERETT

"Life is what you make it. " Softball 3; Y-Teens 3, 4.

### YR1966PG014

JOHN FENGEL

"Boys will be boys."

(none)

LINDA FISHER

"Follow my rule. It's more fun."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 3, 4; Letter Club 2, 3, 4; Office Secr'y 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 3, 4; Latin Club 2.

**BOB FREY** 

"He has two speeds, slow and super slow."

Basketball 1: Band 1: FFA 4: Science Club 1. 2.

LINDA FRYER

"I talk, I laugh, and if it's necessary, I work."

Basketball 1, 2; Student Council 4; Chorus 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; Drama Club 3, 4; Spanish Club 2; Librarian 2, 3,

LINDA GAREY

"We wonder what she'll do next."

Office Secr'y 4; Chorus 4; Y-Teens 3, 4; Drama 4.

## YR1966PG015

FRED GOURLEY

"I don't care what happened, I knew it would."

Football 4; Track 3,4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter Club 2,3,4, Officer 4; Student Council 3,4, Officer 3; Class President 3; Band 2,3,4, President 4; Dance Band 3, 4; Chorus 1; Math Club 3,4, Officer 3, 4; Teen Haven Council 1. SUE GOURLEY

"She will if she wants to."

Basketball 1, 2; Student Council 4; Office Secretary 4; Band 1, 2,3,4, President 4, Cabinet 3, 4; Drama Club 1, 2,

3, 4; Council 4; Thespians 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4.

JACQUE GRAY

"You don't have to amuse me, I amuse myself."

Girls' Track 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama 4; Spanish Club 2, 3.

MARILYN GREENFIELD

"Always laughing, never sad, sometimes ornery, never bad." Basketball 1; Class Officer 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama 2, 3; Valentine Queen Candidate 2; Track Queen Candidate 1; Homecoming Queen 4. ALAN GRIDLEY

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"You can't take it with you, but you can sure have a lot of fun with it while you' re here."

FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 4; Drama 3.

## YR1966PG016

STEVE HATFIELD

"It takes a man to quit, but it takes a real man to face lung cancer. "

FFA 1,2,3,4, Officer 4; Drama 4.

**BONNIE JACKSON** 

"Ready to laugh, ready to smile." Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; FTA 1, 2, 4; Librarians 2, 3, 4.

**CONNIE JACKSON** 

"Always ready with a smile. "

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; FTA 1, 2, 3, 4; Librarians 2, 3, 4.

**BARBARA JOHNSON** 

"You don't have to hang from a tree to be a nut. "

Class Officer 2; Office Secr'y 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama 3, 4; Teen Haven Council 4, Officer 4.

LARRY JOHNSON

"All the great men are dying, I don't feel well myself."

Basketball 1, 2, 4; Student Council 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance 3, 4; Math Club 3, 4; Science Club 2, 3, 4, President 4: Volcano Staff 3. 4.

## YR1966PG017

ROBERT JOHNSON

"If he's a sample, I'll take a dozen. "

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter Club 1,2,3,4, President 4; Student Council 4; Band 1, 2, Cabinet 2; FFA 4, Officer 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4.

BARBARA KEMERY

"If wisecracks were grains of sand, she'd be the Sahara Desert."

Basketball 1, 2; Softball 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Dance 1, 2, 3, 4; Tall Corn Festival 1; Little All-State 3, All-State 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 3, 4; Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 2; Math Club 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4.

LINDA KENDRICK

"Tall persons are able to give great cheer. "

Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter Club 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; Class Officer 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Council 4, Officer 4; Little All-State 4; Y- Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 4; Cabinet 1, 4; Drama Club 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 3; Volcano Staff 3, 4; Editor 4. GARY KERNEN

"A friend to all, and for all a friend, "

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 3, 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4; Little All-State 4.

JUDY LONG

"A friend to all, and for all a friend, "

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 3, 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4; Little All-State 4.

## YR1966PG018

### CHERYL MARSH

"The wheel was man's greatest invention until she got behind it."

Basketball 1; Golf 2, 3, 4; Letter Club 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 2, 3, 4, Officer 3, Cabinet 3; FTA 3, 4, Officer

#### JANET NEAL

"Being a woman is difficult, since it consists primarily in dealing with men."

Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4.

DYANN NEEDHAM

"Some say she's quiet, but it's only a rumor."

Student Council 3; Office Secretary 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Officer 3, Cabinet 3; Drama 4; Spanish Club 2, 3, President 3; FTA 1, 3, 4, Officer 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4.

JOHN NEWBERG

"If I had it to do over again I still wouldn't work."

Basketball 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2.

JOLANE OLANDER

"What! No boys in heaven. I'm staying here." Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Second team All-Conference 3; Letter Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Solo 3; Small Group 2, 3; Little All-State 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 4; Drama 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 4, Cabinet 2, 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4; Annual Staff 2, 3, 4.

### YR1966PG019

ROSS PARKER

"He knows the cafeteria isn't the only place for a line. "

Track 2, 3, 4; Letter Club 3, 4; Student Council 1, 4, Officer 4, Cabinet 4; Class President 1; FFA 1, 2, 3; Drama Club 1, 2,3,4, Officer 2,3,4, President 4, Cabinet 2, 3, 4; Thespian 2, 3, 4; Jr. Sr. Play 3; Speech Contest 1, 2, 3; State 2, 3.

WILHEMENA PAULSEN

"Personality and her smile will win her a way of life."

Softball 2; Track 2; Chorus 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4.

BARBARA PENWELL

"People who have no trouble separating the men from the boys are women."

Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Jr. Varsity 1, 2, 3; Varsity 4; Office Secr'y 1, 2, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama 1, 2, 3, 4.

SHIRLEY PERRIN

"Full of pep, ready to go, maybe that's why she chatters so."

Basketball 1, 2;Track 2; Softball 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls Glee 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 4; Drama 3, 4; FTA 1.

CLARENCE PETERSON

"The less I learn, the less I have to remember. "

(none)

## YR1966PG020

CLAUDE PETERSON

"The less I learn, the less I have to remember."

(none)

DIANE PETERSON

"She was cut out to be an angel, but someone lost the pattern."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 2; Letter Club 3, 4; Class Officer 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish 2; Volcano Staff 3, 4.

LINDA ROBINSON

"No one can live life alone."

Golf 3; Office Secr'y 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama 3; Teen Haven Council 3, Officer 3; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4.

DIANA SCOTT

"I don't let studying interfere with my education."

Softball 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4.

JEAN SHIPLEY

"Full of pep and a heart of gold."

Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, Cabinet 3; Spanish Club 2; Librarians 2, 3, 4.

### YR1966PG021

JEANNE SMITH

"Friendship is a good policy to follow."

Track 2; Y-Teens 1, 3, 4.

LINDA TAYLOR

"A quiet tongue shows a wise head."

Office Secr'y 4; Chorus 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 4; FTA 1, 2, 3, 4.

JOE SHIPLEY

"Frequently with my brain, I gently think a thought."

Basketball 1; Baseball 1, 2; Student Council 4; Chorus 1; Math Club 3, 4, President 4.

BEVERLY WAGAMAN

"A finer pie maker will never be found."

Golf 3, 4; Student Council 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 3, 4; FTA 2, 3, 4, Officer 3, 4; Librarian 3. 4: Crisco Award 2.

JUDY SKAHILL

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."

Basketball 1, 2; Band 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; Drama Club 3, 4; Spanish Club 2, 3, Cabinet 3; FTA 2, 3,4, Officer 3.4.

JANET STEIN

"It's called homework. They scatter some books around and talk about boys."

Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 2; Drama Club 3, 4; Librarian 2, 3, 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4, Manager 4; Teen Haven 3, 4, Officer 3.

## YR1966PG022

**CAROLYN WEBSTER** 

"If silence were golden, she'd go bankrupt.

Softball 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4.

ANN WHITE

"I'm not bashful, you just don't know me."

Chorus 1, 3, 4; Council 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 2; FTA 1, 3,4, Officer 3; Librarians 4.

LINDA WEAVER

"Men are like bullets, they go the farthest when the smoothest."

Golf 3; Office Secr'y 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 4; State Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; I Rating 1, 3; Little All-State 3; Chorus 4; Drama 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Cabinet 3; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Track Queen

Candidate.

MABLE WILSON

"Life is too short to hustle."

Basketball 1, 2; Office Secr'y 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; FTA 1, 2.

SUSAN WHEELER

"Till I came the world was incomplete. '1 Softball 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 4; FTA 1, 3, 4.

TOM WILHELM

"Easy come, easy go."

Basketball 1,2, 3; Track 2, 3, 4; Letter Club 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Officer 3, 4; Council 4; Drama 3, 4; Letter Club 3, 4; FTA 1, 2; Volcano Staff 3; Teen Haven Council 2.

### YR1966PG023

Underclassmen

#### YR1966PG024

**19 JUNIORS 67** 

President . .Gene Sunderman

V-President . . . Kay McCoy

Secretary .Vickie Buckneberg

Treasurer . . . Craige Baker

David Agnew Sharon Anderson Steven Boggess Susan Boggess Rolland Bradley LouisDavies

Edward Day Merle Derry Delores Erickson Stephen Fisher Marj Focht Kirk Franson

Coleen Freshour Janet Fryer Tracy Gidley Tom Graham Marcella Greenfield Shari Greenfield

Linda Golay Pat Gourley Sherry Gourley Chris Gunderman SusanGuthrie PatHaley

## YR1966PG025

Sandy Haley

Olin Holder

Loren Larson Mike Higgins

Richard Lane

Don Jackson

Terry Lowe

Barb Means

Richard Larson

Larry McClelland

Neil McCov

Coleen Marckman

Don Schenck

**Bob Ross** 

Jim Robinson

Susan Peterson

Bob Mullen

Sharen Perrin

Nancy Skahill

**Russel Scott** 

Cathy Shipley

Paula Shipley

Kirk Simpson

Mike Schrader

Alan Wolf

Steve Stein Larry Teener

George Thomas

Cindy Sullivan

Phil Wertman Lauri Woodward

## YR1966PG026

## 19 SOPHOMORES 68

President V-President Secretary Treasurer

Larry Rhamy Rebecca Poore Gwen Alexander Beverly Peterman Clifton Anderson Becky Anderson

Nikki Bangston Richard Bangston Norma Bisbee Kenny Blank Don Bowling Fred Bryson

Don Case Terry Cook Stella Delaney Carole Dickey Eula Doll Chuck Dukes

Mike Dukes Lorna Embree Mike Enarson Kurt Eno Joel Fengel Nancy Focht

Connie Franson Sherry Fryer Leo Gard Shirley Garey Betty Gibson Kris Gidley

## YR1966PG027

Paula Means

Danny McCue

Mary Lowe

Janis Long

Larry McAlpin

Doug Maxwell

Judy Raney

Julia Parker

Darwin Peterson

Elizabeth Peterson

Mary Ann Peterson

Sandra Motsinger

Doug Scott

Randy Scott

Connie Rucker

Karla Russell

Gary Roberts

Linda Ridenour

Marie Stephens

Mike Sprague

Rachel Spencer

Dean Smith

Janet Skahill

Mike Selby

Bill Taylor

Greg Ward

Marvin White Ray Sutphen

Harvey Weaver

Lois Williams

Judy Goettsch

**Dennis Haley** 

Jini Hausen

Bill Jacobs

Judy Kendrick

Steve Loughry

## YR1966PG028

19 FRESHMEN 69

President . . . Jeff Griffin V. President. . .John Baker Secretary . . Pam Bangston Treasurer . . Eddie Boggess

Patty Anderson Curtis Blank Randy Bloom Kathy Boyle Ricky Bozwell Patricia Bradley Vicki Brown James Bruce Gloria Buckneburg Danny Buntsma Doug Darnold Larry De Meo Marcia Enarson Beverly Erickson Greg Franson Cheryl Fry Carol Geyer Kathy Gourley Marci Greenfield Bob Harper Nancy Holder Doug Honeyman Mike Jackson Brenda Johnson

### YR1966PG029

Colleen Lewis

Steve Lyle

Janese McAlpin

Sandra McClelland

Pat McConnell

Diane Marckmann

Terry Mattsen

Colleen Means

Linda Means

Lois Means Ricky Meek

Martha Paulsen

Linda Perrin

Ed Peterson

Steve Peterson

Sue Peterson

**Ed Philpott** 

Mary Poore

Gary Rhamy

Jim Rusk

Sheri Scanlon

Sandra Simmons

Dennis Smith

Larry Souba

Dave Stalders

Jeanne Strain

Melodie Strickland

Richard Thompson

Kurt Ward

**Howard White** 

**Bob Woodward** 

Lynn Wolfe

Cody Winther

## YR1966PG030

Put pazazzzz in your smile

Would you believe?

Check it out!!!!

36-24-36

You dance delightfully

They went that-a-way

We'll be out in four years

6879950345

Black is the color of my true love's face

The worst is yet to come

....Amen

Watch it, fellow!!

### YR1966PG031

ALL YEAR ROUND

### YR1966PG032

### **OFFICERS**

OFFICERS--Treasurer Larry Fast, Vice-president Ross Parker, President Helen Brannan, Secretary Linda Artlip. STUDENT COUNCIL

The '65-66 VCHS Student Council, sponsored by Mr. McCormick, has in the past year co-ordinated the Homecoming parade, sponsored a Dress-Up Day, a Dress-Down Day, an Intra-murals program, a ping-pong tournament, Orientation Day, the Christmas and Easter Programs, and set up an activity calendar for the following school year. The council is also in charge of the candy machine in the school building.

### YR1966PG033

### TEEN HAVEN COUNCIL

Mr. McMillen, Sponsor; Richard Bangston; Larry Fast; Steve Stein; Phil Wertman; Nancy Focht, Secretary; Lorna Embree; Barb Johnson, Vice-President; Tracy Gidley, President; Diane Marckman; Janet Stein; Lynn Wolfe. Treasurer.

STANDING: Mr. Larry Baker, Mr. Orvis Wagaman, Mr. Willis Gourley, Mr. Clyde Selby. SEATED: Mrs. Brad Wolfe, Mrs. Joe McCoy, Mrs. Vandal Buckneberg, Mrs. Jim Raney.

ADULT BOARD

## YR1966PG034

## **VOCAL MUSIC DEPARTMENT**

THE MIXED CHORUS:

Seated at the piano, Lauri Woodward

FIRST ROW: Pat Gourley, Jini Hausen, Sherry Fryer, Janet Fryer, Pat Haley, Carol Geyer, Pat McConnell, Sandra Mot-singer, Sandy McClelland. SECOND ROW: Kathy Boyle, Pat Bradley, Connie Rucker, Sharon Anderson, Shirley Perrin, Shirley Garey, Marci Greenfield, Diana Marckmann, Mr. McMillen. THIRD ROW: Howard White, Randy Scott, Terri Lowe, NancySkahill, Colleen Marckmann, Sharon Perrin, Linda Garey, Janese McAlpin, Ann White. FOURTH ROW: Greg Ward, Bill Jacobs, Joel Fengel, Steve Marsh, Bill Taylor, Marvin White, Merle Derry, Mike Higgins, Gary Roberts.

## YR1966PG035

## **VOCAL MUSIC DEPARTMENT**

The VHS chorus, under the direction of Thor McMillen, has worked hard throughout the 1965-'66 school year to bring fine vocal entertainment to both the students and the community. Although it is a small group, it is certainly not lacking in musical ability.

The singing group has performed for the high school and public twice and has participated in the State Large Group Contest. The chorus has a good, solid sound. Each section has been well developed. The members have developed willing attitudes and have devoted extra time for voice lessons. Also various students who took solos to contest, April 15-16, strengthened the chorus with their added experience in singing.

The reason that the chorus has not increased may be due to the fact that both band and chorus are scheduled for the same period. Those students who are interested in music had to choose only one field of the department. Different scheduling is being considered for the next school year.

Taken from Villisca Volcano

### YR1966PG036

The Villisca High School Marching Band led by Drum Major Larry Johnson and directed by Gaylin Sudik The band department was under the direction of Mr. Gaylin Sudik. This was Mr. Sudik's first year at VCHS. In the fall the marching band participated in the Clarinda Band Jamboree, appeared at the home football games, and competed in State Marching Contest at Shenandoah where it received a "II" rating. The concert band gave three concerts during the school year and competed in the State Large Group Contest that was held at Osceola. At this contest the band received a "I" rating for the fifth consecutive year.

BAND

STAGE BAND FRONT: Marj Focht, Steve Fisher, Chris Gunderman, Kirk Simpson, Linda Weaver, Helen Brannan, Tracy Gidley. SECOND ROW: Fred Gourley, Bob Woodward, Doug Honeyman, Judy Long, Hary Weaver, Larry Johnson. BACK ROW: Judy Goettsch, Carole Dickey, Barbara Kemery, Richard Lane, Linda Artlip.

### YR1966PG037

BAND COUNCIL

LEFT: Galen Sudik, director; Fred Gourley, Linda Weaver, Linda Kendrick, Carole Dickey, Gloria Buckneberg, Vickie Buckneberg, Tracy Gidley, Larry Johnson.

CONCERT BAND

## YR1966PG038

DRAMA CLUB

DRAMA COUNCIL

FRONT ROW: Ross Parker, Pres; Kay McCoy, Clerk; Tracy Gidley, Treasurer; Jolane Olander, Secretary; Chris Gunderman, Vice Pres. 2ND ROW: Danny Johnson, Julia Parker, Jeanne Strain, Marjorie Focht, Helen Brannan, Sue Gourley, Linda Artlip.

## YR1966PG039

THESPIANS

AT WORK

AND PLAY

### YR1966PG040

Y-TEENS

CABINET

FIRST ROW: Norma Means, Vice-President; Sue Gourley, President; Linda Kendrick, Treasurer; Helen Brannan, Secretary. SECOND ROW: Jolane Olander, Barb Kemery, Rebecca Poore, Susy Boggess, Tracy Gidley. THIRD ROW: Jean Strain, Kris Gidley, Vickie Buckneberg, Cindy Sullivan, Mikki Enarson. FOURTH ROW: Janet Fryer, Shari Greenfield, Ellen Doll, Linda Taylor, Marjorie Focht, Becky Anderson.

## YR1966PG041

Y-TEENS

THE YEAR

**THROUGH** 

Ho! Ho! Ho!

In the Y-Teen Room

Singing

Time for General Meeting

Our Pres

Worshiping

**Making Smiles** 

Our Sponsor

Social Event

Christmas Party

### YR1966PG042

### **OFFICERS**

FROM LEFT: Dale Spencer, Advisor; Mike Schrader, Parliamentarian; Alan Wolfe, Secretary; Neil McCoy, Reporter; Larry Fast, President; Dennis Maxwell, Vice-President; Alan Gridley, Treasurer; Gene Sunderman, Sentinel: Steve Hatfield. Assistant Sentinel.

**FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA** 

### YR1966PG043

DISTRICT OFFICERS--Larry Fast and Gene Sunderman Parliamentary Procedure Cody Winther Sow and litter Project Larry Fast Feed Bunk FFA Banquet

# YR1966PG044

ANNUAL STAFF

SEATED: Tracy Gidley, Jr. Editor; Linda Artlip, Editor; Jolane Olander, Business Manager; Mr. Barker, Sponsor. STANDING: Steve Stein, Danny Johnson, Cindy Sullivan, Becky Alexander, Carole Dickey, Kris Gidley, Helen Brannan, Randy Bloom, and Gene Sunderman.

Our Sponsor's Feet Workin' Hard

## YR1966PG045

Villisca Volcano

Editor Linda Kendrick

Managers Janet Stein, Helen Brannan

Sponsor .... Miss Florence Burrish

STAFF—Becky Alexander, Linda Artlip, Sue Gourley, Bob Johnson, Danny Johnson, Larry Johnson, Barbara Kemery, Judy Long, Dennis Maxwell, DyAnn Needham, Jolane Olander, Ross Parker, Diane Peterson, Judy Skahill, Linda Taylor, Beverly Wagaman.

Journalism Class—Sharon Anderson, Steve Boggess, Susy Boggess, Ed Day, Marjorie Focht, Tracy Gidley, Sherry Gourley, Chris Gunderman, Richard Lane, Teresa Lowe, Colleen Marckmann, Bob Ross, Kirk Simpson, Gene Sunderman, George Thomas, and Phil Wertman.

## YR1966PG046

#### LIBRARIANS

FRONT ROW: Bev Wagaman, Bonnie Jackson, Vice-Pres. Sharon Burton, President Linda Fryer, Secretary Janet Stein. Anne White. Miss Gardner.

SECOND ROW: Terri Lowe, Merri Lowe, Connie Jackson, Connie Fran-son, Sharon Anderson, Cathi Shipley, Sandra Motsinger, Judy Kendrick, Connie Rucker, Paula Shipley, Jean Shipley.

**FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA** 

FRONT ROW: Linda Ridenour, Secr'y-Treas. Judy Skahill, Mrs. Mason, Vice-Pres. DyAnn Needham, President Bev Wagaman, Sharon Burton, Mr. Barker, Linda Taylor. SECOND ROW: Sandra Motsinger, Bonnie Jackson, Connie Jackson, Mary Ann Peterson, Ellen Doll, Pat Haley, Susan Guthrie, Marie Stephens, Sherry Fryer, Terri Lowe, Steve Marsh, Ray Sutphen, Steve Boggess, Paula Shipley, Cheryl Frey, Susan Wheeler, Coleen Fresh-our, Merri Lowe, Anne White, Eula Doll.

### YR1966PG047

### SPANISH CLUB

OFFICERS--President; Sandy Haley, Vice-President; Nancy Skahill, Secretary; Anne Neal, Treasurer; Bob Ross, Sponsor; Mr. Calvo.

MR. CALVO

Mr. Calvo, a refugee from Cuba, came to the United States in 1960. During the summer of 1965, he and his wife moved to lowa where he assumed the position as Spanish teacher in the Villisca Community High School. As a teacher and club sponsor, Mr. Calvo has done an outstanding job in our Spanish department. For all the students we wish to extend our appreciation to Mr. Calvo; and we feel honored to have him as a friend and a member of our faculty.

## YR1966PG048

## MATH CLUB

FIRST ROW Fred Gourley Joe Shipley Danny Johnson Mr. Scott SECOND ROW Steve Boggess Larry McAlpin Marie Stephens Barb Kemery Terri Lowe Cheryl Fry Mike Enarson Bob Woodward THIRD ROW Larry Rhamy Russell Scott Bob Mullen Larry Johnson Kirk Simpson Larry McClelland Richard Lane Harvey Weaver Darwin Peterson

SCIENCE CLUB

FIRST ROW Larry Johnson Larry McClelland Rebecca Poore Bary Kernen Mr. Fuller SECOND ROW Marie Stephens Russell Scott Steve Boggess Eddie Day Howard White THIRD ROW Shirley Garey Larry McAlpin Mike Enarson Darwin Peterson Jim Rusk Eddie Boggess FOURTH ROW Harvey Weaver Ray Sutphen Marvin White Ricky Bozwell Larry Tener

## YR1966PG049

## STUDENT SECRETARIES

Athletic Office: Barbara Means Linda Taylor

Superintendent's Office:

Tracy Gidley Sherry Gourley Vickie Buckneberg Cindy Sullivan Barb Johnson Linda Garey Linda Robinson

Principal's Office: Barb Penwell Nancy Skahill Marcella

Greenfield Helen Brannan Sue Gourley Linda Fisher Norma Means

### YR1966PG050

This year eight varsity cheerleaders and four junior-varsity cheerleaders were selected. The varsity cheerleaders performed at all the varsity football games and basketball games. The junior -varsity cheerleaders performed at all the freshsoph basketball games. The cheerleaders were in charge of preparing all the pep assemblies, cleaning of the trophy case, and homecoming. The varsity cheerleaders attended a cheerleading clinic in Lincoln, Nebraska, during the summer. At the clinic they learned new ideas for skits at

pep assemblies, new ideas for posters, new cheerleads, new pom-pom routines, and crowd psychology. VARSITY CHEERLEADERS: Barbara Means, Barbara Penwell, Vickie Buckneberg, Nancy Focht, Becky Alexander, Lorna Embree, Helen Brannan, and Tracy Gidley.

**CHEERLEADERS** 

JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS: Jeanne Strain, Gloria Buckneberg, Vickie Brown, and Nikki Bangston

### YR1966PG051

#### LETTER CLUB

FRONT ROW: Coach Grasmick; Fred Gourley, Treasurer; Bob Johnson, President; Phil Wertman, Secretary; Larry Fast, Vice-President; Coach McVicker. SECOND ROW: Cheryl Marsh, Linda Fisher, Bill Bangston, Norma Means, Carole Dickey. THIRD ROW: Jolane Olander, Linda Kendrick, Paula Means, Susan Peterson, Nancy Skahill, Anne Neal. FOURTH ROW: Diane Peterson, Tracy Gidley, Harvey Weaver, Fred Bryson, Linda Artlip, Lois Williams. FIFTH ROW: Richard Bangston, Richard Lane, Larry Rhamy, Mike Dukes, Joel Fengel, Chuck Dukes. SIXTH ROW: Corky Moritz, Doug Bloom, Craige Baker, Dave Stalders, Ron Bradley, Kirk Simpson. SEVENTH ROW: Tom Wilhelm, Tom Graham, Gary Kernen, Merle Derry, Bob Mullen, Jim Robinson, Kirk Franson, Ross Parker.

This year Letter Club had charge of concession stands at the district basketball tournaments. Most of the money the club earned from the concession stands was given to the Athletic Department to buy waterproof jackets for the golf, football, track, and baseball teams.

**PURPOSE** 

To identify and distinguish people who have won varsity athletic awards, either as athletes or managers; to promote cleaner sports and sportsmanship; and to uphold the traditions of Villisca High School.

## YR1966PG053

FALL

### YR1966PG054

MISS MARILYN GREENFIELD 1965 HOMECOMING QUEEN

## YR1966PG055

HOMECOMING QUEEN CANDIDATES LINDA ROBINSON LINDA ARTLIP JANET STEIN LINDA WEAVER

## YR1966PG056

## HOMECOMING PARADE

QUEEN CANDIDATES: Linda Artlip, Larry Fast, escort; Brad Wallick, ring bearer; Marcy Wright, flower girl; Queen Marilyn Greenfield, Doug Bloom, escort; Linda Robinson, Corky Moritz escort; Janet Stein, Fred Gourley, escort; Linda Weaver, Gary Kernen escort.

The Homecoming season was highlighted this year with the winning of the football game. The Jays defeated the Greenfield Tigers by a score of 19 to 14. That afternoon the annual Homecoming parade was held. It consisted of seven floats, the High School and Jr. High Bands, the queen candidates, several saddle clubs, and costume and bicycle entries. Marilyn Greenfield was crowned the 1965 Homecoming Queen. Following the game, the Homecoming Dance and Re -Coronation were held. A combo from Griswold known as the "Rouges" provided the music.

#### YR1966PG057

HOMECOMING PARADE

"VHS Raid Kills "Em Dead" was the theme of the sophomore float, which took first place in the Homecoming

Second was the Jr. High with "Greenfield Breakfast of Champions."

Juniors took third place with "Put a Tiger in Your Tank."

#### YR1966PG058

BONFIRE

Fred Gourley, varsity football player, gives pep talk at bonfire.

1965 Homecoming Queen Candidates

Varsity football boys being introduced at pre-game pep rally.

### YR1966PG059

The football team enjoyed one of the most successful seasons in many years. The final record of the Jays was five wins and four losses. The team won a total of three conference games while losing only two. This put the Jays in a three-way tie with Bedford and Greenfield for second place in the final conference standings. This year three Villisca players rated berths on the all-conference teams. Jim Robinson and Phil Wertman rated berths on the offensive team, while Mike Dukes earned a position on both offensive and defensive teams. Gary Kernen received honorable mention for all-conference for both his offensive and defensive play. Jim Robinson and Clark Moritz rated honorable mention for the all-conference defensive team.

The scores for the season were as follows:

OPPONENTS		VILLISCA
Griswold	7	13
Lenox	0	20
Greenfield	14	19
East Union	7	53
Bedford	33	14
Mount Ayr	20	14
Dexfield	25	13
Glenwood	26	0
Corning	40	0

It looks as though football fans may have something to look forward to in the future. As the Frosh-Soph team completed the season with a record of five wins and no losses.

The scores of the games were as follows:

	OPPONENTS	VILLISCA
Lenox	0	32
Bedford	0	44
Corning	7	12
Clarinda	7	27
Red Oak	6	20

## YR1966PG060

19 FOOTBALL 65
FRED GOURLEY Senior – Wingback
TOM GRAHAM Junior – Rushing Back
PHIL WERTMAN Junior – Quarterback
DOUG BLOOM Senior - Center

GARY KERNEN Senior – Guard JIM ROBINSON Junior - Tackle

## YR1966PG061

BOB MULLEN – Junior – End LARRY FAST Senior – Fullback RICHARD BANGSTON – Sophomore – End MIKE DUKES Sophomore - Halfback CORKY MORITZ Senior - Guard KIRK FRANSON – Junior – Tackle

## YR1966PG062

## BAND QUEEN

Miss Becky Alexander represented the VHS band in the annual "Band Day Parade" at Clarinda, this past October.

Becky was picked by the band from five candidates who were chosen by the senior boys in the band. Each band's queen contestant rode in the afternoon parade and then attended a banquet that evening, accompanied by her band instructor.

The queen was picked by beauty, poise, and charm. Becky was among the top five finalists. FFA HAYRIDE

## YR1966PG063

WINTER

### YR1966PG064

### VARSITY

FRONT ROW: Norma Means, Anne Neal, Lois Williams, Jolane Olander, Linda Artlip, Linda Fisher. BACK ROW: Judy Raney, Carole Dickey, Sandy Haley, Diane Peterson, Paula Means, Kay McCoy, Gary Johnson, Coach. JR. VARSITY

Jini Hausen, Linda Ridenour, Sherry Gourley, Colleen Means, Brenda Johnson, Jacque Gray, Gwen Alexander, Sheryl Frey, Lois Means, Sheri Scanlan, Kathy Gourley, Bill Scott, Assistant Coach.

## YR1966PG065

ANNE NEAL Junior Guard

JOLAND OLANDER Senior Guard
JAYETTES
LINDA FISHER Senior Forward
LINDA ARTLIP Senior Forward
NORMA MEANS Senior Guard
PAULA MEANS Sophomore Guard
LOIS WILLIAMS Sophomore Forward

## YR1966PG066

### VARSITY

FIRST ROW: Alan Wolfe, Tom Graham, Clark Moritz, Gene Sunderman, Merle Derry, Bill Bangston. SECOND ROW: Coach Grasmick, Gary Kernen, Steve Stein, Larry Johnson, Phil Wertman, Bob Mullen, Neil McCoy, Bob Johnson, Dave Stalder (manager).

JR. VARSITY

FIRST ROW: Clifton Anderson, Fred Bryson, Mike Selby, Richard Larson, Mike Dukes, Richard Bangston, Chuck

Dukes, Bob Harper, Don Case, Kurt Eno, Harvey Weaver, Larry Rhamy. SECOND ROW: Coach McVicker, Curtis Blank, Lynn Wolfe, Bob Woodward, Dean Smith, Bill Taylor, Doug Darnold, Joel Fengel, Jim Rusk, Gary Rhamy, John Baker, Jeff Griffin, Greg Franson.

## YR1966PG067

#### BLUEJAYS

LARRY JOHNSON Senior Center GARY KERNEN Senior Guard PHIL WERTMAN Junior Forward BOB JOHNSON Senior Guard BILL BANGSTON Senior Forward

## YR1966PG069

## FFA SWEETHEART

Janet Stein was chosen FFA Sweetheart by the Vocational Agriculture Department. She was made an honorary member of the FFA Department and also reigned at the FFA Sweetheart dance. She was an honored guest at the FFA banquet in the spring.

MARCH OF DIMES KING AND QUEEN

Ross Parker and Jolane Olander were elected as the 1966 March of Dimes king and queen. They represented Villisca at the annual March of Dimes dance in Red Oak.

## YR1966PG070

SENIOR SKIP

Battle of the Bulge?

Are you sure these are party hats?

Where's the A-Go-Go Girls? Isn't this Mickey's Lounge?

Everybody--on the count of 3, sing "Big Yellow Bus."

Move 'em up, Head 'em out!

What did they put in my drink?

I'll drink to that!

Oh, do you r e ally think my dimples are cute?

## YR1966PG071

SPRING

## YR1966PG072

## STATE OUTDOOR TRACK CHAMPIONS

CLASS B - 1966

This picture was taken after the track team had returned from the state outdoor track meet in Des Moines. There they compiled 26 points to win the state title.

Phil Wertman broke his own Class B pole vault record with a vault of  $14' \, 1 \, 1/4"$ . This also was a new state record.

The 440 yard relay team broke the Class B record in the preliminaries, but had their newly established record beaten in the finals.

The points at the State Meet came from these events.

Phil Wertman won first place in the pole vault and ran on the mile relay team that placed fourth.

Mike Dukes took second places in the broad jump, the 100 yard dash, the 440 yard run, and also ran with the 440 yard relay team that took second.

Fred Gourley placed fifth in the 220 yard run and was on the 440 yard relay team that placed second and the

mile relay team that took fifth place.

Larry Fast was on the mile relay team that placed fifth and on the 440 yard relay team that placed second. Richard Bangston was on the mile relay team that won fifth place.

This is the second consecutive year that the VCHS track team has won a state championship. In 1965, the team won the State Indoor Meet.

The track team had a successful year besides winning the state title. They won the Blue jay Relays for the second year, the Class B meet at the Tarkio Tri-State Relays, a dual and triangular meet, also.

They also placed second in the conference meet and eighth in the state indoor meet early in the spring. Four members of the team competed in the Council Bluffs Relays. There they placed among the top five teams in total points scored.

All in all, it was a great season for the Blue jay track team. The team and their coach deserve the respect and admiration of their school and their community.

### YR1966PG073

### 1966 BLUEJAY TRACK QUEEN

1966 Track Queen Vicki Buckneburg and Escort John Newberg

Queen Candidates: Linda Weaver, Marilyn Greenfield, Vicki Buckneburg, Barbara Means, Lorna Embree, Gloria Buckneburg.

Crowning the Queen

Announcing the Queen

Ring Bearer: Mike Pollock

Flower Girl: Christine Johnson

### YR1966PG074

## Track Squad

Larry Fast

Victorious Jays after Bluejay Relays

Mike Dukes wins!

GIRLS' TRACK

The 1966 girls' track squad was coached by Gary Johnson this season. They participated in five meets. Coleen and Paula Means represented Villisca at the state track meet.

FIRST ROW: Colleen Means, Marie Stephens, Gwen Alexander, Sandy Haley. SECOND ROW: Paula Means, Shari Scanlan, Kathy Gourley, Carolyn Evertt.

## YR1966PG075

# GOLF

BOYS' GOLF

BACK ROW: Mr. Stokes, Harvey Weaver, Merle Derry, Bob Mullen, Bob Johnson, Kirk Simpson, Mike Selby. FRONT ROW: Lynn Wolfe, Larry McAlpin, Curtis Blank, Doug Honeyman, Bob Woodward, Doug Darnold. Norton Stokes, the study hall monitor at the high school, coached boys and girls golf for the first time this year. Both boys and girls played in a number of matches this spring. Also the boys participated in the sectional at Greenfield and the girls played at the district in Red Oak.

GIRLS' GOLF

BACK ROW: Cheryl Frey, Carole Dickey, Linda Kendrick, Cheryl Marsh, Lois Williams, Mr. Stokes. FRONT ROW: Elizabeth Peterson, Linda Weaver, Rachel Spencer, Kris Gidley, Tracy Gidley.

## YR1966PG076

## BASEBALL

FIRST ROW: Coach Grasmick, Phil Wertman, Tom Graham, Fred Gourley, Larry Rhamy, Clifton Anders on,

Steve Lyle, Manager Dave Stalders. SECOND ROW: Bill Bangston, Fred Bryson, Bob Johnson, Gary Kernen, Mike Dukes, Don Case, Gary Rhamy, Merle Derry.

The 1965 Bluejaybaseball team had a very successful season. Jake Grasmick coached his team to a 16-3 record. In doing this, the Jays won the Conference title, and advanced to the District finals where they lost to Shenandoah.

The 1966 team has eight returning lettermen, losing only two from the previous season's team. Because of this the Jays are picked to win the Conference championship again this year.

In the first game of the 1966 season, the Jays beat Corning 2-1.

## 1966 GAME SCHEDULE

June 3-at Bedford

7-at Mt Ayr

10-Lenox

14-at Greenfield

17-East Union

21-Bedford

24-Mt Ayr

28-at Lenox

1-Greenfield

5-at East Union

## YR1966PG077

**OUR FACULTY** 

Catch Us If You Can!!

Are you sure 2 + 2 = 4?

Would you believe I wear a size 4 1/2?

Aren't there any blintzes?

Our noble leader--a typical day at work.

You see, Doc, it all started when I was a baby

Hope this roof doesn't leak.

No, honey, you're using the wrong hand.

## YR1966PG078

JUNIORS - AT WORK?

Venice Bridge is falling down.

I told you not to let go!

What's this?

Would you believe?

Hey--where's the midnight snack?

Hey Fellas! Help!

Wake me when it's over.

Wake up Vic!

## YR1966PG079

"NIGHT IN VENICE"

## YR1966PG080

JR-SR BANQUET

## YR1966PG081

## AN EVENING TO REMEMBER

## YR1966PG082

AWARDS ASSEMBLY

STATE SPEECH CONTEST AWARDS

JOURNALISM AWARDS

**BEST ACTOR & ACTRESS** 

TRACK LETTERS

**GOLF LETTERS** 

FFA AWARDS

ANNUAL STAFF AWARDS

CHORUS AWARDS

**GOLF LETTERS** 

## YR1966PG083

VALEDICTORIAN ROSS PARKER

LARRY JOHNSON

**SALUTATORIAN** 

**TOP SCHOLARS** 

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

SHORTHAND AWARDS

JOURNALISM AWARDS

PRESENTATION OF SENIOR GIFT

## YR1966PG084

COMMENCEMENT

JUNE 1, 1966

## YR1966PG086

We Learn

MOVIES

Our Man Flint

The Silencers

Thunderball

The Great Race

Dr. Zhivago

Yellow Rolls Royce What's New Pussycat

A Ship of Fools

The Sound of Music

Battle of the Bulge

Cat Ballou

Agony and the Ecstacy

Hallalujah Trail

How To Murder Your Wife

Patch of Blue

Never Too Late

That Darn Cat

Harper

Darling

Shenandoah

Ten Commandments

Inside Daisy Clover

Do Not Distrub

SONGS

Time Won't Let Me

Soul and Inspiration

Kicks

**Homeward Bound** 

These Boots Are Made For Walkin'

California Dreamin'

Monday, Monday

What A Day For A Daydream

Message to Michael

It's Too Late To Say You're Sorry

Bang, Bang

Sweet Talking Guy

I'm A Rock, I'm An Island

Sounds of Silence

Henry VIII

Call Me

Women

The More I See You

Somewhere

Gloria

I'm Leaning on the Lamppost

No Where Man

Ballad of Irving

Peter Rabbit

History Repeats Itself

6345789

Mr. Moon

Young Love

Do You Love Me

A Groovy Kind of Love

Sloop John BE

Carol, I Know

The Teaser

The Cheater

Dum -Diddy-Dum

Rainy Day Women

When A Man Loves A Woman

Ten Miles High

Rhapsody In The Rain

## YR1966PG087

MEMORIES

FADS

**Poor Boy Sweaters** 

Surfer Crosses

A-go-go Boots

Hip Huggers

Long Socks

Paisley Shirts and Ties

Sling Shoes

Bell-bottoms

Wing tip Shoes

Pierced Ears and Pierced Look

Card Games Back in Style

Hondas

Short Skirts

**Blunt Cuts** 

Bench Warmers

Batman Sweatshirts

We Lead, We Follow.

**HAPPINESS** 

Fridays

Riding Hondas

Going Steady

Having Ivanhoe done on time

Getting the Car

Having a Date

Winning at Poon-tang

A Tank Full of Gas

Week End Dances

We're Good Sportsmen.

SINGING GROUPS

Mamas and Papas

Shadows of the Night

Beatles

Beach Boys

Herman and the Hermits

The Little Rascles

Lou Christi

Peter and Gordon

**Bobby Vinton** 

Lovin' Spoonfuls

Dion Warwick Sonny and Cher

The Outsiders

Simon and Garfuncle

Nancy Sinatra

Paul Revere and the Raiders

**Righteous Brothers** 

Pat Clark

Bob Dylan

**Rolling Stones** 

Coachmen

Leslie Gore

Gary Lewis and the Playboys

Elvis Presley

Gene Pitney

**Detroit Wheels** 

Barbra Streisand

Dave Clark Five

**Dusty Springfield** 

Dean Martin

Chris Monte z

Triti Lopez

The Chiffons

The Supremes

We're Patriotic.

### YR1966PG088

**FAREWELL** 

## YR1966PG089

1965-66

Dear VCHS,

After a year of laughter and headaches, fun and work, we finally finished the 1966 Bluejay, a book that will help you to remember this year always.

We wish to express our appreciation to the many people who made this yearbook possible:

The merchants of Villisca, Red Oak, and Clarinda who bought advertising in the Bluejay;

Mr. Barker, our sponsor, who listened to our gripes, and kept us working when we weren't in the working mood;

Mr. Lynn Baldwin, of Stern Studios, who took many of the excellent photos for us;

Mr. L. A. Moser who also took many fine photographs for us including the inside cover;

The faculty and administration of VCHS who let us interrupt classes so many times for Annual Staff pictures; And to the other numerous people who made this book possible. We hope this Bluejay accurately records your memories of this YOUR year of 1966.

The Bluejay Staff

## YR1966PG091

GONE ARE THE DAYS ....

## YR1966PG092

**Quality Service Value** 

Plus Regal Stamps

**Employee Owned** 

HY-VEE FOOD STORE

**GUNDERMAN INSURANCE AGENCY** 

Our 35<sup>th</sup> Year of Service

Villisca, Iowa

Your Independent Mutual Agent

YR1966PG093

WEINER'S	BRYSON-FRANKS IMPLEMENTS
TOWN & COUNTRY	Allis-Chalmers and New Idea
"Serving Villisca Since 1931	Sales & Service
With Better Foods For Less."	Phone # 761-5892
	Villisca Iowa
DANIELSON IMPLEMENT COMPANY	EVANS MOTOR CO., INC.
"Your Friendly John Deere Dealer"	Shopping GM Center
761-5212	Floyd, Dick, Dan, John
1	Clarinda, Ia 542-2125
WOLF FUNERAL HOME	HOWARD CLOTHING AND
Villisca Iowa	SPORTING GOODS
7.11.500 10.110	246-2231 Shenandoah, Iowa
NODAWAY VALLEY NATIONAL BANK	JAN'S FOUNTAIN OF BEAUTY
"The Only Bank In The World	Janice Linnea
That Supports Villisca"	Phone 3625
Member of the FDIC	Red Oak, Iowa
Spend Your Leisure Hours At	COAST TO COAST STORES
LEISURE LANES	You Buy For Less Because We Buy
761-7251	For Less
Bowling, Refreshments, Fun	Red Oak Iowa
MARSH MOTORS	NODAWAY ELEVATOR CO.
Chrysler - Plymouth - Valiant	Gooch's Best Feeds
Villisca Iowa	Seeds, Grain, & Trucking
VIIIISCA IOWA	761-7181
CLARK BROTHERS' GARAGE	GOURLEY'S GOLDEN HYBRIDS
General Repair	"The Best For Less."
Wrecker Service	See Your Local Dealer
WIECKEI SEIVICE	See rour Local Dealer
ENARSON INSURANCE AGENCY	PENWELL BROTHERS
Complete Insurance	Trucking & Grain Elevator
Service	Morton Mills
YR1966PG094	
STERN STUDIO	KENDRICK AND VANCE
"Portraits in the Modern Trend"	Plumbing and Heating
Distinctive Portraiture-School	"Always at your service."
Photography - Phone 246-4232	-Our greatest asset,
110 South Elm St.	your good will-
Shenandoah Iowa	
Garage & General Repair	For all your Flower needs see
BECKER SERVICE Used Cars	QUALITY FLORAL
761-5233 Or 761-2845	102 West First Street
	Villisca 761-2742
BOB'S SKELLY SERVICE	LANE IMPLEMENT
Phone 761-4242	Your Harvester Dealer
Villisca Iowa	761-2192
CHARLES R. ARTLIP	VILLISCA MONUMENT WORKS

Cream & Egg Route Service	L. F. Farmer			
761-4073	"All Nationally Advertised Granite"			
	761-5342			
TOM DODSON	ANDREWS			
Optometrist	CLOTHING COMPANY			
	"Everything for Dad & Son"			
COMMUNITY GAS CO.	CITY VARIETY			
Petroleum Products Home Appliances	Villisca, Iowa			
Phone 76 1-5102				
Villisca Iowa	Thanks to			
	DR. POLLOCK			
	&			
	MARTAIN SHOE STORE			
	for their generous donations			
HONEYMAN DRUG STORE	Thanks also			
"Visit Our Store For Drugs,	to all the merchants of Villisca,			
Stationery, Cameras, or	Red Oak, Clarinda, and Shenandoah,			
Toilet Articles."	who advertised in the 1966 Bluejay.			
Meet Your Friends				
At the				
ELM CAFE				
Highway 71				

## YR1966PG095

Walt Kendrick Construction

761-5154

Fitch's Store

Clarinda, Iowa

Weils Clothing

Clarinda, Iowa

Peterson Mercantile

Clarinda, Iowa

Brown's Shoe Fit Co.

Red Oak, Iowa Thomson-Bergren Hardware Red Oak, Iowa

Van's Paint Store

Red Oak, Iowa

Geist Floor Covering Red Oak, Iowa

Red Cross Drug Store Red Oak, Iowa

Cole's Jewelry Red Oak, Iowa

Family Shoe Store

Red Oak, Iowa

Miller's Service & Body Shop Nodaway, Iowa

Lewis Electric, Plumbing, & Cafe

76-1-3312

Sutphen Funeral Home

76-1-3312

Magnuson's Service Station

L & J Cafe

76-1-4182

P & B Oil Company

37F2 Grant, Iowa

Lines Central Market

76-1-2332

Villisca Review

**Quality Printing** 

Max H. Means Trucking

76-1-4872

Insurance With Nordyke

Assurance You Like

MGL Car Wash Villisca, Iowa

Johnson Radio & Electric

76-1-3282

Karle's Bakery

76-1-2128

Marsh Motors

Chrysler-Plymouth-Valiant

Jane's Paper & Paint

76-1-5643

Mary Lou's Beauty Shop

76-1-2512

Wilson Hog Yards

76-1-2312

Blue Jay Barber Shop

Dale Carmichael

Dodson's Jewelry Cosmic Diamonds

Dr. Claude A. Richey

76-1-5284

Shapcott Implement

76-1-5932

Neal Real Estate & Insurance

76-1-4855

## YR1966PG096

**AUTOGRAPHS** 

## YR1967PG001

Presenting

The 1967 Bluejay

# YR1967PG002

Dedication

He has been a very patient and understanding teacher of shorthand, secretarial practice, typing, and business law. He also has been a willing and hardworking sponsor of FTA and Annual Staff.

The interest and cooperation he has shared with students and their problems and activities is a credit to his profession.

With sincere appreciation for his tireless work in our school we dedicate the 1967 Bluejay to Mr. Paul Barker.

## YR1967PG003

Dedication

He has been an excellent and inspiring leader in our school and in the community. He is most admired for his good sense of humor and his ability to get along with the students in our school, both of which are valuable assets which he uses to perfection.

It has been an honor to have him serve as the principal of our high school for the past four years.

With deepest respect and admiration, we dedicate the 1967 Bluejay to Mr. Robert McCormick.

### YR1967PG004

Administration

Dr. Louis A. Sullivan, Superintendent and Mr. Robert McCormick, Principal.

School Board--Back row: Dr. Louis A. Sullivan, Tom Rusk, Gerald Maxwell, Gene Smith. Front row: Roberta Dickey, Fred Bryson, and Don Means.

## YR1967PG005

Mr. Grasmick World History Government Athletic Director

Mr. O' Campo Spanish

Miss O'Leary American History Psychology Sociology

Mr. Spencer Agriculture

Mrs. Smith Home Economics Health

Mrs. Wertman Physical education

## YR1967PG006

Thor McMillen Vocal Music

Janice Lewis Commercial, English

Lila Gardner English, Library

Bill Scott Mathematics, Coach

Kim Smith English, Speech

Robert Baxter Chemistry, Physics Physical Science

## YR1967PG007

March Tinkham English, Volcano

Gaylin Sudik Band

Paul Barker Commercial

George McVicker Biology, Coach

**Dwight Lewis Guidance Counselor** 

Larry Gardner Industrial Arts Mechanical Drawing Economics Arts & Crafts

### YR1967PG008

Personnel

Loruss Grasmick Principal's Secretary

Anita Wheeler Superintendent's Secretary

Paul Northup Janitor

Alvin Zeilmer Janitor

Mrs. Glen TenEyck Mrs. Robert Brannan Mrs. Harry Weaver Mrs. Clyde Stackhouse

Donald Stidd, John Frazee, Jim Milligan, Lawrence Sewis, Joe Copelin, John Demery, William Buntsma, Floyd

Marvick, Julius March, Jerry Cooper, Lois Frazee, Gladis Abbott, Loretta Buntsma.

#### YR1967PG009

Seniors

#### YR1967PG010

Neil McCoy "Work is a great thing, so we should always save some of it for tomorrow. " Class Pres. 4. FFA 1 2 3 4. Reporter 3. Vice -Pres. 4. District Reporter 4. Student Council 4. Treasurer 4. Annual Staff 4. Basketball 1 2 3 4

Susy Boggess "Just let me adjust my halo."

Band 1 2 3 4. Chorus 1 4. Pres. 4. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Treas. 4. Drama Club 2 3 4. Council 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Latin

Club 1 2. Pres. 2. Class Vice-Pres. 4.

David Agnew "I'd like to be bashful but the girls won't let me."

FFA 1 2 3 4.

Mr. Galen Sudik Class Sponsor.

Sharon Anderson "A smile is my universal passport."

Chorus 1 2 3 4. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Librarians 3 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Spanish Club 1 2 3 4.

Craige Baker "This is a beautiful day. Let's do something to mess it up."

Student Council 4. Pres. 4. Chorus 1 2. Drama Club 2 3 4. Thespians 3 4. Math Club 2. Basketball 1. Track 1. Golf

1234. Baseball 2. Football 1234. Lettermans Club 234.

## YR1967PG011

Alan Wolfe "I'm always at a loss to know how much to believe of my own stories."

FFA 1 2 3 4. Sentinel 4. Sec'y 3. Basketball 1 2 3 4. Track 1 2. Football 3. Class Sec'y 4.

Sherry Gourley "I don't run after men but I put up a fairly brisk trot."

Office Sec'y 3. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Cabinet 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Annual Staff 4. Bus. Mgr. 4. Spanish Club 1.

Basketball 1 2 3 4. Class Treas. 4.

Mr. George McVicker Class Sponsor.

Steven Boggess "Mum's the word."

Band 1 2 3. FTA 3 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Math Club 2 3. Science Club 1 2 3 4. Track 3 4. Football 3. Lettermans

Ron Bradley "I wonder which girl I'll go with next."

Drama Club 4. Thespians 3 4. FFA 1 2 3 4. Reporter 4. S. W. District Sec'y 4. Track 1 2 3 4. Football 1 2 3 4.

Lettermans Club 2 3 4. Cross Country 4.

Vickie Buckneberg "I don't care how you spell my last name, I want to change it anyway."

Cheerleader 2 3 4. Office Sec'y 3. Band 2 3 4. Council 2 3. Chorus 1 2. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Cabinet 3 4. Drama Club 3 4. Spanish Club 2. Cabinet 2. Teen Haven Council 4. Pres. 4. Track Queen 3. Golf 3.

## VR1967PG012

Lewies Davies "Studying never killed any-one, but I don't like to take chances."

FFA 1 2 3 4.

Ed Day "Contagious laughter lightens the moods of others."

Band 1 2 3 4. Drama Club 2. Volcano Staff 3 4. Science Club 1. Baseball 1 2.

Merle Derry "Smart? I guess I am! Because I don't study much!"

Chorus 1 2 3. Sec'y-Treas. 2. Math Club 2 3. Science Club 1. Spanish Club 1 2 3. Cabinet 3. FFA 2 3 4. Basketball

 $1\,2\,3\,4.$  Golf 2  $3\,4.$  Baseball 1 2  $3\,4.$  Lettermans Club 3 4. Treas. 4.

Delores Erickson "You'll never regret it after you have known her."

Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. FTA 1. Librarians 2 3 4.

Steve Fisher "To study or not to study that is the question."

Band 1 2 3. FFA 1 2 3 4.

Marjorie Focht "Quietness is her loudest feature."

Band 1 2 3 4. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Cabinet 3 4. Drama Club 2 3 4. Council 3 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Thespians 3 4. Softball 4

#### YR1967PG013

Kirk Franson "Tall, dark, and then some."

FFA 1 2 3 4. Sentinel 2. Parliamentarian 4. Track 1 3. Football 1 2 3 4. Lettermans Club 2 3 4.

Colleen Freshour "Laughter is bliss and so I'm always laughing."

Band 1 2 3 4. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. FTA 3.

Janet Fryer "I can hardly wait to hear what I'm going to say next."

Office Sec'y 4. Chorus 1 2 3 4. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Cabinet 2 3 4. Drama Club 2 4. Spanish Club 1 2 3.

Linda Ganley "Like an angel's visit: short and sweet."

Chorus 3. Y-Teens 3 4. Spanish Club 3. (Transfer)

Tracy Gidley "If you can't convince 'em--confuse 'em."

Cheerleader 3 4. Student Council 3. Office Sec'y 3 4. Band 1 2 3 4. Council 3. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Cabinet 3. Drama

Club 1 2 3 4. Council 3 4. Thespians 3 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Annual Staff 2 3 4. Editor 4. Spanish Club 1. Teen Ha-

ven Council 3. Pres. 3. Basketball 1 2. Golf 1 2 3 4. Lettermans Club 3 4. March of Dimes Queen 4.

Linda Golay "Quiet but she has a twinkle in her eye."

Y-Teens 4. FTA 1.

#### YR1967PG014

Pat Gourley "Don't look at me boys; it makes me nervous."

Chorus 1 2 3 4. Council 3. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Cabinet 4. Drama Club 1. Council 1. Spanish Club 2.

Tom Graham "The road to success is always under construction."

Math Club 2. Basketball 2. Track 1. Baseball 1 2 3 4. Football 1 2 3 4. Lettermans Club 2 3 4.

Marcella Greenfield "If you don't know she's there, it isn't her fault."

Student Council 1. Office Sec'y 3. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Cabinet 4. Drama Club 1. Spanish Club 2.

Shari Greenfield "Her hair is red but her temper is not."

Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Cabinet 3 4. Pres. 4. Drama Club 1. Librarians 2. Spanish Club 2 3. Cabinet 3.

Chris Gunderman "She has a Sunday School face and Saturday night ideas."

Student Council 3 4. Band 1 2 3 4. Council 4. Band 1 2 3 4. Council 4. Band Sec'y 4. Band Queen 4. Chorus 1 2.

Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Drama Club 1 2 3 4. V-Pres. 3. Volcano Staff 34. Editor 4. Thespian 3 4. Spanish Club 1. Basketball 1 2. Golf 1.

Pat Haley "Quite a card--the joker."

Office Sec'y 4. Chorus 1 2 3 4. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. FTA 2 3 4. Basketball 1.

## YR1967PG015

Sandy Haley "No advice please! We strive to preserve our atmosphere of complete confusion."

Student Council 3. Band 1 2 3 4. Pres. 4. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Spanish Club 2 3. Pres. 3. Teen Haven Council 2. Sec'y 2. Basketball 1 2 3 4. Track 3. Lettermans Club 4. Softball 3.

Mike Higgins "School is all right. What else can you do during the day?"

Chorus 1 2 3. Math Club 2. Spanish Club 1 2. Basketball 1 2.

Don Jackson "Studying is for the birds and I can't fly."

Chorus 1 2 3. Latin Club 1. FFA 1 2 3 4.

Richard Lane "What-me worry?"

Band 1 2 3 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Bus. Mgr. 4. Math Club 2 3 4. Sec'y-Treas. 4. Spanish Club 1 2. Basketball 1 2.

Track 1 2 3 4. Cross-Country 4. Lettermans Club 3 4.

Loren Larson "The hurrier I go the behinder I get."

Spanish Club 1, FFA 3 4.

Richard Larson"For a boy of leisure, any deodorant will do. " Math Club 2. Spanish Club 2. Basketball 3. Baseball 1. Football 1.

## YR1967PG016

Teresa Lowe "If mischief is a part of Heaven, I'm on my way."

Student Council 3. Chorus 1 2 3 4. Pres. 3. Y-Teens 1 2. Cabinet 2. FTA 1 3 4. Pres. 4. Librarians 3 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Math Club 2 3 4. Spanish Club 2 3.

Larry McClelland "He that hath knowledge, spareth his words."

Math Club 2 3. Science Club 1 2 3 4. Vice-Pres. 3. Pres. 4.

Kay McCoy "She didn't wait for her ship to come in, she swam out to meet it."

Student Council 1. Office Sec'y 4. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Drama Club 1 2 3 4. Pres. 4. Thespian 3 4. Annual Staff 4.

Spanish Club 1 2. Pres. 1. Teen Haven Council 1. Basketball 1 2 3 4. Softball 3. Lettermans Club 3 4. Jr. Class V. -

Pres. Homecoming Queen 4. FFA Sweetheart 4.

Colleen Marckmann "She's a man-hater, but the Bible says love your enemies."

Chorus 1 2 3 4. Council 4. Girls Glee 1 2 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Y-Teens 2 3 4. Basketball 1. Track 1. Softball 1 2.

(Transfer)

Terry Matherly "I'm a smart guy, but I have a hard time convincing anyone."

Foot • ball 4. Track 4. (Transfer)

Barb Means "I used to be guiet and refined, but now I'm a senior!"

Cheerleader 1 2 3 4. Head Cheerleader 3 4. Student Council 2 3. Office Sec'y 3 4. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Drama Club 3 4. Spanish Club 2.

### YR1967PG017

Bob Mullen "He tries to be dignified but his actions betray him."

Student Council 1. Math Club 3 4. Pres. 4. Spanish Club 1. Cabinet 1. Basketball 1 2 3 4. Track 1. Golf 2 3 4.

Football 2 3 4. Lettermans Club 3 4. Class Pres. 1. March of Dimes King 4.

Anne Neal "Time goes steady and so do I."

Office Sec'y 4. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Spanish Club 2 3 4. Sec'y-Treas. 4. Basketball 1 2 3 4. Track 1. Lettermans Club 1 2 3 4. Softball 1 2. Class Vice-Pres. 1.

Sharon Perrin "A woman's tongue is like a stairway to catastrophe."

Chorus 2 3. Y-Teens 1 2 3. Drama Club 1.

Susan Peterson "Don't tell me what I mean. "Let me figure it out for myself. "Band 1 2 3 4. Band Sec'y 4. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Cabinet 1. Spanish Club 1 2 3 4. Vice-Pres. 4. Basketball Student Mgr. 2 3. Lettermans Club 3 4

Jim Robinson "Great men laugh, sleep, and sigh; since great men do, so do I."

Student Council 4. Vice-Pres. 4. Band 2. Drama Club 2 3 4. Math Club 1 2. Spanish Club 1, Track 1. Golf 2.

Baseball 1. Football 1 2 3 4. Lettermans Club 2 3 4. Thespians 3 4.

Bob Ross "Somebody said it couldn't be done so I didn't even try."

Band 1 2 3 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Science Club 1. Spanish Club 2 3 4. Treas. 3. FFA 3 4. Sentinel 4. Track 1. Baseball 1 2. Football 2.

## YR1967PG018

Mike Schrader "Thinking is an idle waste of time."

Band 2. Drama Club 1. Math Club 1. FFA 1 2 3 4. Track 2.

Russell Scott "Tut tut my good man, the girls won't hurt you."

Chorus 1 2. Drama Club 1. Math Club 3 4. Science Club 1 2 3.

Cathy Shipley "Is she as innocent as she looks, or are looks deceiving?"

Y-Teens 1 2. Librarians 2 3 4. Pres. 4. Math Club 2. Spanish Club 3 4. Latin Club 2.

Paula Shipley "I don't care what happened -- I knew it would."

Y-Teens 1 2. Cabinet 2. FTA 3 4. Vice-Pres. 4. Librarians 3 4. Math Club 2 3. Spanish Club 3 4. Pres. 4. Latin Club 2.

Kirk Simpson "Brutus, Caesar, and me, we are definitely the 'Big Three'."

Band 1 2 3 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Math Club 2 3 4. Spanish Club 1 2. Basketball 1 2. Golf 2 3 4. Baseball 1.

Football 2 3. Lettermans Club 3 4.

Nancy Skahill "She either looks on the bright side or polishes the dark."

Office Sec'y 3. Chorus 1 2 3 4. Y-Teens 1 2. Librarians 1. Spanish Club 2 3 4. Sec'y and Vice-Pres. of Spanish

Club. Basketball Mgr. 1 2 3 4. Lettermans Club 2 3 4. Softball 3 4. Girls Glee 4.

### YR1967PG019

Steven Stein "Keep smiling. It makes people wonder what you've been up to. " Annual Staff 3. Math Club 2. FFA 1 2 3 4. Parliamentarian 3. Treas. 4. Basketball 1 2. Golf 2.

Cindy Sullivan "Men are all alike; yes, men are all I like."

Cheerleader 4. Office Sec'y 2 3. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Cabinet 3 4. Drama Club 1 2 3 4. Thespians 4. Annual Staff 3 4.

Spanish Club 1 2. Basketball 1 2. Golf 2 3.

Gene Sunderman "I never take a nap after dinner, but when I've had a bad night, then the nap takes me. "

Student Council 2 3. Band 1 2 3. Drama Club 2 3 4. Clerk 4. Volcano Staff 3. Annual Staff 2 3. Spanish Club 2.

Sec'y 2. FFA1 2 3 4. Pres. 4. Treas. and Sec'y. Basketball 1 2 3 4. Baseball 1. Football 2 3. Class Pres. 2 3.

George Thomas "He seems quiet and shy, but never fear, he gets by."

Drama Club 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. (Transfer)

Phil Wertman "I remember a mass of things, but none distinctly."

Band 1 2 3 4. Council 1. Volcano Staff 3 4. Teen Haven Councii 1 2 3. Basketball 1 2 3 4. Track 1 2 3 4. Golf 1.

Baseball 1 2 3 4. Football 1 2 3 4. Lettermans Club 1 2 3 4. Sec'y 3. Pres. 4.

### YR1967PG020

Juniors and Seniors

Sloppin' the hogs

That feels SO good!

Poof! You're a pile of . . .

I'm not either a dope addict!

Sure you've got a headache . . .

Cheers!

Bow down, Oh Worthless One!

Shy Vick!

Let's give the little lady a hand!

## YR1967PG021

Underclassmen

## YR1967PG022

Juniors

Class Officers

Larry Rhamy - President Rebecca Poore - Treasurer Rebecca Anderson - Secretary Nancy Focht - Vice-President Gwen Alexander Rebecca Anderson Clifton Anderson Richard Bangston Norma Bisbee Kenneth Blank

Kim Smith Jake Grasmick Class Sponsors

Don Bowling Fred Bryson Don Case Elaine Darnold Stella Delaney Carole Dickey

Eula Doll Chuck Dukes Mike Dukes Lorna Embree Kurt Eno Joel Fengel

Nancy Focht Connie Franson Sherry Fryer Laura Ganley Leo Gard Shirley Garey

Betty Gibson Kris Gidley Judy Goettsch Jini Hausen Judy Kendrick Bill Jacobs

### YR1967PG023

Colleen Lewis Janice Long Steve Loghry Meri Lowe Larry McAlpin Steve Marsh
Doug Maxwell Paula Means Sandra Motsinger Julia Parker Bev Peterman Darwin Peterson
Elizabeth Peterson Mary Peterson Dennis Phillis Rebecca Poore Judy Raney Larry Rhamy
Linda Ridnour Gary Roberts Connie Rucker Karla Russell Teresa Schepers Doug Scott
Randy Scott Mike Selby Janet Skahill Dean Smith Rachel Spencer Jerry Sprague
Mike Sprague Marie Stephens Kathy Strand Ray Sutphen Bill Taylor Greg Ward
Harvey Weaver Marvin White Lois Williams

### YR1967PG024

Sophomores

Class Officers John Baker Gloria Buckneberg Lynn Wolfe Greg Franson Pat Anderson John Baker Pam Bangston Curtis Blank Randy Bloom Ed Boggess Thor McMillan William Scott Class Sponsor

Ricky Bozwell Pat Bradley Vicky Brown James Bruce Gloria Buckneberg Dan Buntsma Doug Darnold Larry De Meo Beverly Erickson Greg Franson Cheryl Frey Carol Geyer Kathy Gourley Marsha Greenfield Jeff Griffin Bob Harper Doug Honeyman Mike Jackson Brenda Johnson Steve Lyle Janice Mc Alpin Sandra McClelland Pat McConnell Diana Marckmann

#### YR1967PG025

Terry Mattson Colleen Means Linda Means Lois Means Ricky Meek Marlin Olson Martha Paulsen Linda Perrin Ed Peterson Sue Peterson Steve Peterson Ed Phipott Mary Poore Gary Rhamey Jim Rusk Sheri Scanlon Sandra Simmons Dennis Smith David Stalder Jack Stidd Jeanne Strain Melody Strickland Kurt Ward Howard White Cody Winther Lynn Wolfe

## YR1967PG026

Freshmen

Class Officers Larry Raney Sandra Roberts Pat Anderson Doug Fast - President Kenneth Anderson Patricia Anderson Torn Baldwin Merri Bangston Sharon Beedle Elaine Boggess Mr. Baxter - Sponsor Mr. Lewis - Sponsor

Bill Boggess Charm Brown Stanley Brownlee Marilyn Clark Randall Clark Kris Cohoon Russell Currins Kinney Dickey Donnie Dresser Bunny Dukes Dirk Dunn Stanley Dunn Doug Fast Gale Fengel Lyle Frey Kenneth Gage Sherry Gillespie Denise Gourley Vicki Geyer Connie Gray Janice Gray Michael Gray Alice Griffith Debbie Gunderman

## YR1967PG027

Mary Gay Gustafson Chris Hausen Randy Jackson Marcia Johnson Steven Kernen Sheryl Kerr Carroll Kraft Karen Leighton Alice Lewis Lorna Long Linda Lovig Michael Lowe James Lucas Tom Marsh Earl McKinley John Means Teresa Miller Jack Muller Randy Nash John Nordyke Larry Northup Maria O' Campo Ricki O'Rourke Peggy Peterson Larry Raney Sandy Roberts Dennis Rucker James Russel Mike Skahill Carole Shaver Jeri Smith Betty Sparks Carole Sprague Joyce Strand Howard Stephens Betty Sunderman Roy Taylor Norman Weaver Bill Wagner Tom Wheeler Norma Wilson

## YR1967PG028

Down by the "Old Mill Stream".

And now kiddies, Gussie will tell you a story.

I get THAT blond.

Soup's On.

Oh. Paul. cut that out!

Mr. Sudik, we'll probably get fired for this, but you have. . . .bad breath.

Hell's Angels.

WHAT! !?

I'm bashful.

Ho-hum

Cheese!

My wife will. .

## YR1967PG029

Organizations

### YR1967PG030

### Student Council

Officers from left to right are president, Craige Baker; vice - president, Jim Robinson; secretary, Nancy Focht; and treasurer, Neil McCoy.

Members of the 1966-67 student council were Carol Sprague, Jeanne Strain, Chris Gunderman, Craige Baker, Neil McCoy, Jim Robinson, John Baker, Fred Bryson, and Doug Fast. The reorganized council has been active this year in many school and community activities. They sponsored such things as Homecoming, the Christmas Ball, and beautifying windows.

#### YR1967PG031

Spanish Club

Goofin' off.

Spanish Club officers from top to bottom: Anne Neal, Treas.; Susan Peterson, V.-Pres.; Nancy Skahill, Sec'y; and Paula Shipley, Pres.

Members of the Spanish Club and sponsor, Mr. O'Campo.

## YR1967PG032

Thespians

## YR1967PG033

Drama Club

Drama Council

Kurt Eno at the piano.

President Kay McCoy

## YR1967PG034

Y-Teens

Y-Teen Club.

Y-Teen Cabinet.

## YR1967PG035

All Year Through

Advisor - Miss O'Leary.

Miss Y-Teen Mari Focht.

#### YR1967PG036

Those seniors awarded the Iowa Farmers Award were Kirk Franson, Neil McCoy, Ron Bradley, and Mike Schrader.

Two second place ratings were won at state with Lewies Davies winning his second in Farm and Home Electrification and Bill Jacobs winning his in Soil and Water Management.

Ron Bradley was elected to the position of state Reporter for 1967-68. On the District level, Clifton Anderson will serve as Sentinel for the 1967-68 year.

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#### YR1967PG037

FFA

FFA Officers.

#### YR1967PG038

## **Annual Staff**

Working hard, Kay?

Some of our hard working members.

The members of the Annual Staff and their sponsor, Mr. Barker.

## YR1967PG039

Volcano Staff

Sponsor, Miss Tinkham.

Editor, Chris Gunderman.

Members of the Volcano Staff and sponsor, Miss Tinkham.

## YR1967PG041

#### Librarians

Officers--Cathy Shipley, President; Meri Lowe, Secretary and Treasurer; Connie Franson, Vice-President. Melody and Linda at work.

President Cathy Shipley.

## YR1967PG042

Math Club

Left to right: Richard Lane, Vice-Pres.; Bob Mullen, Pres.; and Fred Bryson, Sec'y-Treas.

Solving some problems.

President Bob Mullen

Members of the Math Club and sponsor Mr. Scott.

## YR1967PG043

Science Club

Concentrating on a formula. Back row: Darwin Peterson, V. -Pres.; Steve Boggess, Sergeant-at-Arms; and Rebecca Poore, Sec'y-Treas. Front row: Larry McClelland, Pres.

President Larry McClelland

Members of the Science Club and their sponsor, Mr. Baxter.

## YR1967PG044

## Cheerleaders

Junior Varsity

Pam Bangston, Debbie Gunderman, Melody Strickland, Merri Bangston, Betty Sunderman.

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## YR1967PG045

## Cheerleaders

Varsity

Back row: Gloria Buckneburg, Barb Means, Lorna Embree, Tracy Gidley. Front row: Jeanne Strain, Cindy Sullivan, Nancy Focht, Vicki Buckneburg.

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#### YR1967PG046

Lettermans Club

Members of the Lettermans Club and their sponsors, Mr. Grasmick and Mr. McVicker.

Riding the pep bus!

Lettermans Club officers, left to right: Larry Rhamy, Vice-Pres.; Phil Wertman, Pres.; Merle Derry, Treas.; and Carole Dickey, Sec'y.

Ricky O'Rourke saying his Lettermans purpose.

## YR1967PG047

Student Secretaries

Office Secretaries

Principals Office - Shirley Gary, Pat Haley, Kay McCoy, Lois Means, Janet Fryer, Jini Hausen, Linda Means, Louress Grasmick.

Supt's. Office - Sandra McClelland, Marcy Greenfield, Anne Neal, Tracy Gidley, Jeanne Strain, Kris Gidley, Anita Wheeler.

Athletic Office - Colleen Means, Barb Means, Judy Raney, Jake Grasmick.

#### YR1967PG048

Chorus

Madrigal

## YR1967PG049

**Chorus Council** 

**Boys Quartet** 

Girls Glee

Practicing

## YR1967PG050

Band

The Concert Band which received a I rating at State Contest this year.

Dance Band

Band Council--Sandy Haley, Pres.

## YR1967PG051

This Was the Year

Marching Band which received a I rating at State Contest this year, too.

## YR1967PG052

Teen Haven

The Adult Teen Haven Board

#### The Student Teen Haven Board

## YR1967PG054

This Was the Year

Conference Football Champs

Ron Bradley Guard

Larry Rhamey Quarterback

Mike Dukes Halfback

Tom Graham Halfback

Richard Bangston End

Kirk Franson Tackle

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#### YR1967PG055

This Was the Year

Conference Football Champs

Kurt Eno Guard

Jim Robinson Tackle

Bob Mullen End

Fred Bryson Center

Phil Wertman Quarterback

Harvey Weaver Guard

Craige Baker Fullback

Chuck Dukes End

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#### YR1967PG056

Tall Corn Conference Champs

The victorious Bluejay football team merited the title of "Tall Corn Conference Football Champs" this season.

They had a record of 5 wins, 2 losses, and 1 tie. Those named to the All-Conference list were as follows:

Phil Wertman Quarterback 1st Offensive Team
Mike Dukes Halfback 1st Offensive Team
Craige Baker Fullback 1st Offensive Team
Jim Robinson Tackle 1st Offensive Team
Chuck Dukes End 1st Offensive Team

Richard Bangston End 1st Defensive Team

Kirk Franson Tackle 1st Defensive Team

Phil Wertman and Jim Robinson were also named to the Southwest Iowa Class "B" First Team, all of which

added up to make it "The Year" for the 1966-67 football team.

## SEASON RECORD

Villisca	20	Corning	26
Villisca	19	Greenfield	14
Villisca	55	Bedford	14
Villisca	55	East Union	7
Villisca	18	Mt. Ayr	6
Villisca	6	Lenox	6
Villisca	6	Clarinda	33
Villisca	39	Clearfield	14

## YR1967PG057

Phil

SOUTHWEST IOWA'S TOP ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

Phil Wertman, Villisca's 6'2", 175 lb. senior named SW Iowa's Top Athlete of the Year might also be called the greatest Bluejay athlete of all time. At the close of the baseball season, he will have earned 16 varsity letters during his high school career.

Although vaulting is his first love, Phil has excelled in football, basketball, baseball, and also the running events of track. Named one of the most versatile athletes in SW Iowa, he has been the key to the most successful athletic year in Villisca history.

In the vault, he soared to the record height of 14'2 3/4", but lost this interscholastic mark to a student of Des Moines Roosevelt last spring. However, he still holds the following records: Bluejay, Tall Corn Conference, Cardinal relays, Mustang Relays, Tri-State Tarkio Relays, Drake Relays, Federation Meet, State Indoor Class B, and State Outdoor

Class B. He also placed seventh in the National Jaycee Meet at Denver, Colorado.

In addition to whining the vault at the Class B State Outdoor Meet, Phil anchored three gold medal winning relay teams.

During the football season, Phil, earning recognition as an "All Southwest Iowa Class B" quarterback, socred 12 touchdowns and 18 extra points and a field goal. He also passed for seven scores.

His second "All Southwest Iowa" award was earned in basketball in which he totaled 430 points for the season and 369 rebounds.

A standout in baseball too, Phil swatted the ball at a .413 clip last year.

Besides his athletic ability, Phil applied his other talents as president of the Letterman's Club, a member of the Teen Haven board, and a bass player in the Bluejay band.

#### YR1967PG059

Varsity

Back Row: Coach Gary Johnson, Kay McCoy, Sandy Haley, Lois Williams, Sheri Scanlon, Gwen Alexander, Sherry Gourley, Ass't. Coach Bill Scott. Front Row: Carole Dickey, Paula Means, Anne Neal, Lois Means, Colleen Means, Judy Raney.

Jr. Varsity

Left to Right: Carol Sprague, Janice Gray, Alice Griffith, Marie O'Campo, Jeri Smith, Marcia Johnson, Bunny Dukes, Sheryl Kerr, Cheryl Frey, Bev Erickson, and Kathy Gourley.

The great Jayette team could get the most votes for the most improved girls' team this year. The girls had a 11 win 10 lost season this year. They made it to the District Finals to lose to Farragut. These girls are to be congratulated for their fine performance this year. This was certainly "the year" for them.

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## YR1967PG061

Varsity

Back row, left to right: Coach McVicker, Mike Dukes, Kurt Eno, Bob Mullen, Richard Bangston, Phil Wertman, Chuck Dukes, and Coach Grasmick. Front row: Fred Bryson, Merle Derry, Gene Sunderman, Cliff Anderson, Alan Wolfe, Larry Phamy, and Neil McCly.

Jr. Varsity

Back row, left to right: Kenneth Anderson, Chris Cohoon, Larry Raney, Howard Stephens, John Nor-dyke, Gail Fengel, Dirk Dunn, Bill Boggess, and Mike Skahill. Front row: Lynn Wolfe, John Baker, Jim Rusk, Gary Rhamy, Steve Lyle, Curtis Blank, and Jeff Griffin.

This was certainly "the year" for the Villisca Bluejays. This was the best basketball season since the "1946-47" year. The season included the Tall Corn Conference Championship, the Sectional championship, the District

championship, and Runner-Up in the Sub-State game. After the opening loss, the team had a string of 18 wins before losing the Finals.

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#### YR1967PG062

Winning the State Class "B" Outdoor, the Tall Corn Conference Title, The State Class "B" District, the South Page duel and a second in the Blue Jay Relays certainly proved that this was "the year" for the Bluejay Track squad.

Outstanding records were established by the "67" Track squad, many of which set new school records. The two mile relay team of Kurt Eno, Ron Bradley, Richard Lane, and Richard Bangston ran a time of 8:38. 2. The 880 yard relay team of Mike Dukes, Richard Lane, Richard Bangston, and Phil Wertman was timed at 1:33.3 at the State Outdoor. The same four boys were clocked in 3:29.9 in the mile relay at the State Meet. In the 440 relay, Mike Dukes, and Phil Wert-man teamed with Jeff Griffin and Fred Bryson at the State Meet for their best time of the season of 44. 8. Other individual performances were established by Freshman Ricky O'Rourke who ran the mile run in a school record of 4:42. 7 and Phil Wertman who pole-vaulted to a height of 14' 1 1/2". Congratulations to coach George McVicker and an outstanding track squad.

#### YR1967PG063

Coach McVicker is pictured here with all of the trophies that he and his teams have won for VHS during his six years as a coach in Villisca. He will be missed next year by all of his students and friends; but we wish him the best of luck in his new position.

Get ready, get set.....

GO!!!

#### YR1967PG064

Softball and Track

Track team

Softball Team

## YR1967PG065

Boys' and Girls'Golf

Mr. Bob Baxter was the boys and girls golf coach for the first time this year. Both the boys and girls participated in a number of matches this spring.

## YR1967PG066

Baseball

Baseball Team

Slug it, Larry!

Safe!

#### YR1967PG067

Social

#### YR1967PG068

Vickie Buckenberg Chris Gunderman Barb Means Cindy Sullivan

#### YR1967PG069

Kay McCoy, Homecoming Queen
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#### YR1967PG070

**Candidates and Escorts** 

Twilight Time

Queen Kay McCoy and Escort Craige Baker

Our Queen

Chris Enarson and Mike Pollock

Sophomore's First Place: Hansel and Grettle Juniors Second Place: Gingerbread Man

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#### YR1967PG071

Twilight Time

Recoronation

Chris Enarson and Mike Pollock

Kiss for the Queen Queen's Dance

FFA Third Place: Three Billygoats Gruff

Go Big Blue

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## YR1967PG072

Chris Gunderman

**Sherry Gourley** 

Shari Greenfield

Marcella Greenfield

## YR1967PG073

Kay McCoy

FFA Sweetheart

#### YR1967PG074

Track Queen and Candidates

Debbie Gunderman, Gloria Buckneberg, Kris Gidley, Lorna Embree, Barb Means, and Kay McCoy.

## YR1967PG075

Kris Gidley - Track Queen

## YR1967PG076

This is the Year

## YR1967PG077

This is the Year

## YR1967PG078

Bob Mullen and Tracy Gidley

## March of Dimes King and Queen

## YR1967PG079

Chris Gunderman, Band Queen

## YR1967PG081

Prom

## YR1967PG082

Awards Night

## YR1967PG083

Top Scholars

Larry McClelland Valedictorian

Chris Gunderman Salutatorian

Cathy Shipley Winner of Schroeder Scholarship

Marj Focht Winner of Citizenship Award

National Honor Society

**BOB MULLEN** 

SUSY BOGGESS

ANNE NEAL

TRACY GIDLEY

**CHRIS GUNDERMAN** 

SHARI GREENFIELD

MARJ FOCHT PAULA SHIPLEY

LARRY MCCLELLAND

## YR1967PG084

Commencement

Class of 1967

Triple Trio singing "Graduation Day"

Richard Lane playing "Fur Elise" on the organ.

## YR1967PG085

Bob Mullen

Cindy Sullivan

Phil Wertman

President Neil McCoy

Goodbye Seniors

## YR1967PG086

Pep Assembly

The Bonfire

Twirp Day

FFA Hayride

Pep Band

Graduation

Pep Assembly

## Christmas Ball

## YR1967PG087

Pep Assembly

Jr. Sr. Play

**Building Floats** 

High School Bowl Team

**Band Dance** 

Prom

Y-Teen Dance, Queen Marj Focht

## YR1967PG088

**Favorites** 

SONGS

Cherish

Lonely to Long

Happy Together

Penny Lane

Strawberry Fields

Freak Alley

Holiday for Clowns

Windy

Alphie

Tell her no

Georgy Girl

I've Got Rhythm

**Good Vibrations** 

Live for Today

We Ain't Got Nothin' Yet

Girls in Love

I need Somebody

Gimme Some Lovin'

Too Many Fish in the Sea

Portrait of my Love

Yellow Balloon

Midnight Hour

Along Comes Mary

On a Carousel

Mirage

6 o'clock

Tell It to the Rain

Live for Today

Born Free

Something Stupid

MOVIES

Hawaii

Man for All Seasons

The Bible

Sound of Music

Alphie

Georgy Girl

Blow Up

Hotel

Penelope

Funeral in Berlin

What Did You Do In the War Daddy?

Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?

Gambit

The Russians are Coming

Walk Don't Run

Boy Did I Get a Wrong Number

Chamber of Horrors

The Blue Marx

**FADS** 

**Block Hair Cuts** 

Winning Conference Titles

**Gray T-Shirts** 

**Bridge Dances** 

Wool Shorts

Knee Socks

Tent Dresses Saddle Shoes

Long Hair

No socks

**Poor Boy Suits** 

SINGING GROUPS

Supremes

Gary Lewis and the Playboys

Mamas and Papas

Tiajuana Brass

Beach Boys

Sonny and Cher

Monkees

Association (The)

Brian Hyland

The Jokers

Four Seasons

**Dusty Springfield** 

Dionne Warwick

Paul Revere and the Raiders

Dave Clark Five Nancy Sinatra

Young Rascals

**Electric Prunes** 

Jerms

Misfits

Coachmen

Rumbles

**Boys Next Door** 

Simon and Garfunkel

Barkemen

Pat Clark

Wonders

## YR1967PG089

May 1967

Dear VHS Students,

This year's Annual is finally finished and with it the close of another school year.

We wish to thank the many people who helped us produce the yearbook this year:

The merchants of Villisca, Clarinda, Red Oak, and Nodaway who bought advertising to help meet our financial needs:

Mr. Baldwin, who supplied us with the many fine pictures;

The faculty, who let us interrupt their classes for the many pictures that are needed for the Annual.

Mr. McCormick, who advised us many times on different phases of the Annual;

Especially Mr. Barker, who did a lot of the work that we didn't want to do and who kept us going. and to everyone else who helped make this 1966-67 edition of the yearbook possible.

We hope that the 1967 Bluejay will help you remember this year always. We tried to make "This is the Year" the theme of the annual. We hope that "this was the year" for you, too.

Sincerely,

The Bluejay Staff

## YR1967PG090

This is the Year

Farewell

## YR1967PG091

In Memory

Terry Mattson

Terry Mattson, who was a sophomore at Villisca Community High School lost his life in a car accident on Sunday, March 12, 1967. Although he seemed reserved, he enjoyed an active interest in fishing and hunting. He was a quiet student and will be remembered by all who knew him.

## YR1967PG092

Autographs

## YR1967PG093

Quality Service Value

plus Regal Stamps

**Employee Owned** 

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Marlin Gunderman is my life insurance agent.

Who is yours?

## YR1967PG094

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#### YR1968PG001

Presenting
The 1968 Bluejay
Villisca Community High School
Villisca, Iowa
Volume XLIII
Editor Carole Dickey

Kris Gridley

Paul Barker

## YR1968PG002

**Business Manager** 

## Foreword

Sponsor

The past generation has left you with many problems, with the turmoil and unrest of today, and with the failure of many in meeting the challenge of the future. A dim picture for the future of America exists today—but when one has the privilege of working with such a class as the Class of 1968, there can be no doubt that the future of our country is to be left in good hands.

You, the Class of 1968, and those who follow face a world teeming with millions, living and working in a complex and troubled society. Faith will give you the strength to meet the future courageously. Faith inspires you to live in order to better your lives, the lives of your friends and relatives, and the generations yet to come. You need an abundance of faith in God, your education, your fellow man, and yourself.

The faith you have in God gives you confidence in life; the faith you have in your education gives you confidence in meeting the problems that confront you; the faith you have in others opens the doors of cooperation; and the faith you have in yourself gives you courage to face the future unafraid.

As you depart from your Alma Mater into the adult world, I challenge you to hold high the torch of faith.

#### YR1968PG003

## Dedication

He has been an inspiration to all of those around him. In addition to his tireless efforts to make our shool what it has become, he has also been an excellent leader. Students admire most his ability to get along with others, an asset which he has illustrated in many ways.

Not only has he spent many hours at his job as Athletic Director, but also as basketball and baseball coach and

assistant coach in track and football. He has been an excellent teacher of World History, Government, and Economics, as well as sponsor of the Class of '68 for four-years. His great sense of humor is only excelled by his understanding which he shares with his students.

With deepest respect and admiration, we proudly dedicated the 1968 Bluejay to Mr. Jacob Grasmick.

#### YR1968PG004

Administration

**ROBERT BAXTER Principal** 

DR. LOUIS SULLIVAN Superintendent

SCHOOL BOARD: Roberta Dickey, Secretary; Willis Marvick, Tom Rusk, President; Don Means, Vice-President; Gene Smith, Gerald Maxwell, Louis Sullivan, Superintendent.

## YR1968PG005

Faculty
PAUL BARKER Commercial
DEVON ADAMS Art
PATRICK BENNETT Psychology Sociology English 10
PHILIP COMSTOCK Biology Coach
WAYNE CHANEY Chemistry Physics General Science
VICTOR ELLISON Spanish English 9

#### YR1968PG006

GARY JOHNSON Algebra II General Math Coach
JAKE GRASMICK World History Government Athletic Director
JANICE LEWIS Typing
THOR McMILLEN Vocal Music
DWIGHT LEWIS Guidance Counselor
SHARON O'LEARY American History Speech

## YR1968PG007

RUTH PAULSEN English 9 Library SYLVIA SMITH Home Economics GAYLIN SUDIK Band DALE SPENCER Agriculture MARCH TINKHAM English Journalism

**BILL SCOTT Mathematics Coach** 

## YR1968PG008

MARCH TINKHAM English Volcano
THOMAS WOODIN Study Hall Monitor
LEONA WERTMAN Physical Education
LARRY HUMMIL Industrial Arts—Second Semester
DON VOGEL Industrial Arts—First Semester
HELEN SUTPHEN Nurse

## YR1968PG009

## Personnel

Anita Wheeler, Superintendent's Secretary Loruss Grasmick, Principal's Secretary Paul Northup, Janitor

Alvin Zellmer, Janitor

Mrs. Harry Weaver, Mrs. Robert Brannan, Mrs. Clyde Stackhouse, Mrs. Glen TenEyck.

Wayne Johnson, Carroll Kraft, Lawrence Lewis, William Buntsma, John Kemery, Joe Copelin, John Frazee, Lois Frazee, Earl Fryer, Floyd Marvick, Gladis Abbott, Jerry Cooper.

#### YR1968PG010

Cheese!

Line-up, girls!

Come out of there, right now!

You're kidding.

Hmmm ... Very interesting!

Here comes the Judge.

I'm not like that at all ...

Everyone close your eyes and make a wish.

Girls—please!

Let's take it from the top . . .

Ah, yes—I remember it well ...

This isn't my idea of a good time.

Sleeping beauty? Are you kidding! P.S. This caption submitted by the editor.

#### YR1968PG011

UNDERCLASSMEN

#### YR1968PG012

1969

Juniors

Steve Lyle, Pres. Jeff Griffin, V.-Pres. Pat McConnell, Sec. Marlin Olson, Tres.

Sponsors: Mr. McMillan Mr. Scott

Patricia Anderson John Baker Pam Bangston Curtis Blank Randy Bloom Ed Boggess

Ricky Bozwell Pat Bradley Vicki Brown James Bruce Gloria Buckneburg Dan Buntsma

Doug Darnold Larry De Meo Bev Erickson Greg Franson Cheryl Frey Carol Geyer

Kathy Gourley Marsha Greenfield Bob Harper Doug Honeyman Mike Jackson Brenda Johnson

#### YR1968PG013

Diana Marckmann Janese McAlpin Sandy McClelland Colleen Means Linda Means Lois Means Ricky Meek Ed Peterson Steve Peterson Sue Peterson Linda Perrin Ed Philpott Mary Poore Jim Reents Gary Rhamy Jim Rusk Sheri Scanlan Sandra Simmons Dennis Smith Dave Stalder Jeanne Strain Melody Strickland Kurt Ward Howard White Cody Winther Lynn Wolfe

## YR1968PG014

1970

Sophomores

Mr. Comstock Sponsor Dirk Dunn Pres. Larry Raney V.Pres. Charm Brown Sec. Pat Anderson Tres. Mr. Lewis

Kenneth Anderson Tom Baldwin Merri Bangston Sharon Bee dle Elaine Boggess Bill Boggess Stan Brownlee Marilyn Clark Randy Clark Kris Cohoon (moved) Russell Currin Kinney Dickey Donnie Dresser Bunny Dukes Stan Dunn Doug Fast Gale Fengel Lyle Frey

Ken Gage Vicki Geyer Sherry Gillespie Denise Gourley Connie Gray Janice Gray Mike Gray Alice Griffith Debbie Gunderman Mari Gustafson Jon Haas Chris Hausen

#### YR1968PG015

Randy Jackson Marcia Johnson Steven Kernen Sheryl Kerr Roger Kraft Alice Lewis
Lorna Long Linda Lovig Mike Lowe James Lucas Tom Marsh Wayne McKinley
John Means Teresa Miller (moved) Jack Muller Randy Nash Larry Northup Ricki O'Rourke
Peggy Peterson Sandy Roberts Dennis Rucker Jim Russell Carole Shaver Mike Skahill
Jeri Smith Betty Sparks Carol Sprague Howard Stephens Joyce Strand Dianna Stubbs
Betty Sunderman Roy Taylor Bill Wagner Norman Weaver Tom Wheeler Norma Wilson

## YR1968PG016

1971

Freshmen

Nancy McCoy, Pres. Stan Peterman, V.-Pres. Debbie Fast, Sec. Martha Bangston, Tres. Mr. Bennett, Sponsor Mr. Sudik, Sponsor

Doug Beedle Suzy Bowling John Bozwell Jim Courcier Dennis Danielson Dennis Darnold Pam English James Everett Felicia Figgins Kathy Focht Sandra Garey Jeanette Goettsch Lee Gray Karen Haley Lynn Harris Michael Hunter Peggy Jacobs Connie Kerr Pat Knoke Duane Lockhart Lou Anne Lyle Jon McAlpin Joni McClelland Judy McClelland

#### YR1968PG017

Dennis McConnell Larry Marsh Susan Marsh Ann Maxell Nancy Means Jane Newlon Mary Perry George Peterson Kathy Quinn Karla Rhamy Marcia Ridenour Elie Saikaly Janet Schrader Kathy Scott Tom Shipley Larry Simmons Susan Skahill David Smith Keith Smith Jackie Smith Cheryl Sparks Ricky Sprague Jeanette Strain Terry Thompson Jan Ward Jerry Williams Mark Winther Tom Woodin Don Zellmer Jon Zellmer

## YR1968PG019

Organizations

## YR1968PG020

BAND COUNCIL: Gwen Alexander, President; Janice Long, Senior Rep.; Doug Darnold, Drum Major; Gaylin Sudik, Director; Karen Haley, Freshman Rep.; Pam Bangston, Junior Rep.; Betty Sunderman, Sophomore Rep. Band

MARCHING BAND received a Lat State Marching Contest, as well as winning the Class B competition at Maryville this season.

## YR1968PG021

CONCERT BAND had a fine season despite the II rating at State Contest.

STAGE BAND—FRONT ROW: Darwin Peterson, Betty Sunderman, Denise Gourley, Sherry Gillespie, Pat Knoke, Kathy Scott, and Kinney Dickey. SECOND ROW: Mr. Sudik, Lyle Frey, Jack Muller, Doug Honeyman, Harvey Weaver, Lorna Embree, and Stanley Brownlee. BACK ROW: Marcia Johnson, Martha Bangston, Carole Dickey, and Judy Goettsch. Gwen Alexander not pictured.

Our Pres.

Oh .. . One more early morning practice, and I quit!

## YR1968PG022

1967 Band Queen

#### Miss Kris Gidley

## YR1968PG023

## Student Council

The Student Council was very active this year under the fine leadership of Fred Bryson. Other officers were John Baker, Vice-President; Nancy Focht, Secretary; and Dirk Dunn, Treasurer.

The first project of the year was the completion of a new and larger concession stand at the Bluejay Track and Field. Student Council also sponsored Homecoming activities such as decorating the windows in the business district and organizing the homecoming parade.

To celebrate the Christmas season, the council sponsored the Second Annual Christmas Ball. Other projects were the adoption of an Indian boy and the starting of a student lounge. The whole year was a great success, and the council should be congratulated for its many accomplishments.

Goofin' off.

President, Fred Bryson.

#### YR1968PG024

#### Chorus

Under the direction of Mr. Thor McMillen, the Chorus department had an outstanding year with the Mixed Chorus, Girls Glee, and Boys Glee all receiving I ratings at State Music Contest. This accomplishment exceeds all those of recent years and Mr. McMillen certainly should be congratulated for his fine work.

## YR1968PG026

#### Y-Teens

CABINET—FIRST ROW: Nancy Focht, President; Miss O'Leary, Advisor. SECOND ROW: Rachel Spencer, Secretary; Pat McConnell, Vice-President; Carole Dickey, Treasurer; Pat Anderson. THIRD ROW: Pam Bangston, Brenda Johnson. FOURTH ROW: Sue Peterson, Mary Poore. FIFTH ROW: Julie Parker, Kris Gidley, Bev Peterman, Pat Knoke. SIXTH ROW: Jini Hausen, Lorna Embree, Marie Stephens, Pam English, Judy Raney, Norma Bisbee, Kinney Dickey, Lois Williams, Becca Poore, Judy Kendrick, and Marsha Greenfield.

## YR1968PG027

Would you believe . . .

Stick 'em up

Our Advisor

MISS Y-TEEN, Rachel Spencer; escort, Bill Jacobs.

Gosh, Santa, a present for me?

Cheerleaders?

Christmas Kiddy Party

So this is what they call a "formal" initiation!

Powderpuff Football King and Candidates

Wow! What a figure!

Judy Raney crowns King Larry Rhamy

#### YR1968PG028

COUNCIL: Kathy Focht, Norman Weaver, Bev Peterman, Jan Long, Randy Bloom, Miss O'Leary, Advisor; Pat McConnell, Larry Raney.

Drama

## YR1968PG029

Thespians

FRONT ROW: Jini Hausen, Sherry Fryer, Lorna Embree, Jan Long, Julie Parker, Janet Skahill, Sharon O'Leary, Sponsor. BACK ROW: Hary Weaver, Norma Bisbee, Nancy Focht, Colleen Means, Darwin Peterson. Ray Sutphen, Kris Gidley, not pictured.

Miss O'Leary presents awards to Jan Long, best actress; Harv Weaver, best actor; and Norman Weaver, most promising actor.

Also this year, the Drama department received a I rating for its performance of "DUDDY" at District Speech Contest. Members of the play included Harvey Weaver, Janice Long, Sherry Fryer, Ray Sutphen, Gary Rhamy, Don Bowling, Janet Skahill, Randy Bloom, Steve Lyle, Jini Hausen, Rachel Spencer, Colleen Means, Judy Raney, Jeff Griffin, and Marlin Olson. Nancy Focht was Student Director.

Colleen Means, Norman Weaver, Jini Hausen, Hary Weaver, Jan Long, and Darwin Peterson in a scene from "THE COUNTING PEOPLE".

## YR1968PG030

#### Math Club

FRONT ROW: Larry McAlpin, Secretary-Treasurer; Harvey Weaver, President; Fred Bryson, Vice-President. SECOND ROW: Clifton Anderson, Mike Lowe, Lyle Frey, Bill Boggess, Howard Stephens, Gale Fengel. THIRD ROW: Stan Dunn, Dennis Rucker, Cheryl Frey, Kathy Gourley, Dirk Dunn, Doug Fast, Bill Scott, Sponsor. Science Club

FRONT ROW: Ed Philpott, Marie Stephens, Greg Ward. SECOND ROW: Leo Gard, Elaine Boggess, Bill Jacobs, Alice Griffith, Doug Honeyman, Marvin White, Dennis Phillis, Jack Muller. THIRD ROW: Doug Darnold, Ed Boggess, Bob Harper, Jim Rusk. STANDING: Wayne Chaney and Phil Comstock, Sponsors; Darwin Peterson, President; Ray Sutphen, Vice-President; Rebecca Poore, Secretary; Howard White, Historian-Librarian.

#### YR1968PG031

#### Spanish Club

FRONT ROW: Meri Lowe, Secretary; Elizabeth Peterson, Vice-President; Jini Hausen, President; Pat Anderson, Treasurer; Chris Hausen, Vicki Geyer. SECOND ROW: Carol Geyer, Sandy Simmons, Ken Anderson, Joel Fengel, Ed Peterson, and Sponsor Victor Ellison.

Librarians

FRONT ROW: Sponsor Ruth Paulsen, Sheri Scanlon, Secretary; Men Lowe, President; Becky Anderson, Vice-President; Connie Rucker, Treasurer. SECOND ROW: Stella Delaney, Mary Peterson, Sandra Motsinger, Karla Russell, Carol Geyer, Sandy Simmons. STANDING: Jane Newlon, Judy Kendrick, Gloria Buckneberg, Janese McAlpin, Linda Perrin, Pam Bangston, Linda Ridenour, Marie Stephens, Jim Rennets.

## YR1968PG032

## Volcano Staff

These are members of the Volcano Staff comprised of members of the journalism class and the seniors previously in journalism. In the front row is Lorna Embree, Correspondent; Kris Gidley, Editor; and Bev Peterman, Business Manager. Miss Tinkham, sponsor, is standing at left in the third row. The journalism class has worked hard to put out an issue of the VOLCANO each month during the year.

Staff members, Colleen and Lois Means, prepare for next issue.

Editor Kris Gidley offers suggestions.

#### YR1968PG033

TEEN HAVEN COUNCIL: Bill Scott, Sponsor; Kurt Eno, President; Jeanne Strain, Alice Griffith, Doug Fast, Keith Smith, Lynn Harris, and John Baker.

Teen Haven

JUNIORS USE TEEN HAVEN TO WORK ON PROM.

## YR1968PG034

Student Secretaries

ATHLETIC OFFICE: Athletic Director Jake Grasmick, Kris Gidley, Lois Williams.

PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE: Secretary Loruss Grasmick, Pat McConnell, -Connie Rucker, Lorna Embree, Linda Means. SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE: Secretary Aneita Wheeler, Becky Anderson, Sandy McClelland, Stella Delaney, Jeanne Strain, Marsha Greenfield, Norma Bisbee, Julie Parker.

#### YR1968PG035

Shirley Garey Judy Raney Connie Franson Jini Hausen Julie Parker FFA Sweetheart

#### YR1968PG036

FFA SWEETHEART CANDIDATES: Judy Raney, Shirley Garey, Jini Hausen, Connie Franson and Julie Parker. FFA SWEETHEART, Jini Hausen.

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#### YR1968PG037

OFFICERS—FIRST ROW: Cody Winther, Treasurer; Bill Jacobs, Secretary; Dale Spencer, Advisor; Clifton Anderson, President; Doug Maxwell, Vice-President. SECOND ROW: Gary Rhamy, Sentinel; Marlin Olson, Parliamentarian; Fred Bryson, Reporter; Mike Dukes, Sentinel; Dick Bangston, Reporter.

## YR1968PG038

Letterman's Club Pep Club

#### YR1968PG039

**SPORTS** 

## YR1968PG040

Jays Have Successful Season Randy Bloom Guard Fred Bryson Center Co-Captain Richard Bangston End Bill Jacobs Tackle Kurt Eno Guard Don Case End Mike Dukes Halfback All-Conference

## YR1968PG041

Gary Rhamy Tackle

Jays Have Successful Season
Ed Peterson Tackle
Chuck Dukes End All-Conference
Steve Lyle Fullback
Harvey Weaver Guard
John Baker Halfback
Larry Rharny Quarterback Co-Captain

## YR1968PG042

The VHS Bluejays finished their 1967 gridiron season in fine style winning 6 and losing only 2. New head coach Phil Comstock led his 12 returning lettermen and a "spirited team" to a 2nd place berth in the Tall Corn Conference.

Selected to the all-conference team were brothers Chuck and Mike Dukes. Chuck earned the honor at offensive and defensive end while Mike was the Tall Corn Conference's outstanding offensive back, scoring 60 points in five conference games.

Honorable mention for defensive team were Richard Bangston, end; Kurt Eno, guard; Fred Bryson, linebacker; Randy Bloom, linebacker; and halfbacks Mike Dukes and Larry Rhamy. Offensive honorable mentions were tackles Gary Rhamy and Ed Peterson; guard Harvey Weaver, quarterback Larry Rhamy, and halfback Steve Lyle.

The team finished with an excellent offensive average of 23.8 and a defensive average of 11.4. SEASON RECORD

Villisca	13	Corning	0
Villisca	12	Greenfield	14
Villisca	27	East Union	6
Villisca	40	Bedford	0
Villisca	18	Mt. Ayr	13
Villisca	12	Lenox	0
Villisca	27	Clarinda	45
Villisca	41	Clearfield	12

## YR1968PG043

Homecoming King and Candidates Kurt Eno

Larry Rham

Fred Bryson

Mike Dukes

**Dick Bangston** 

## YR1968PG044

1967 Homecoming Queen Miss Nancy Focht

## YR1968PG045

KRIS GIDLEY
JULIE PARKER
Homecoming Queen Candidates
LORNA EMBREE
CAROLE DICKEY

## YR1968PG046

Cheerleaders Betty Sunderman, Sophomore Lorna Embree, Head Cheerleader Gloria Buckneberg, Junior

## YR1968PG047

Kris Gidley, Senior

Debbie Gunderman, Sophomore

Pat McConnell, Junior

Jeanne Strain, Junior

JUNIOR VARSITY: Pat Anderson, Vicki Geyer, Kinney Dickey, Merri Bangston, and Chris Hausen.

Nancy Focht, Senior

#### YR1968PG048

Recoronation

Nancy Focht, Lorna Embree, Julie Parker

Candidates and their fathers

Crowning the Queen

FRESHMEN—First Place: Silence is Golden
JUNIORS—Second Place: Eve of Destruction

#### YR1968PG049

Queen and King's Dance

Queen Nancy Focht and her court -

Crowning the Queen

Carole Dickey, Kris Gidley

SENIORS—Third Place: Good Times

V is for Victory

#### YR1968PG051

Varsity

Judy Raney, Gwen Alexander, Lois Means, Bev Erickson, Kathy Gourley, Lois Williams, Paula Means, Colleen Means, Sheri Scanlon, Carole Dickey, Cheryl Frey, and Jeri Smith. Coach Gary Johnson.

Jr. Varsity

Janice Gray, Jackie Smith, Susan Skahill, Martha Bangston, Lynn Harris, Patty, Knoke, Marcia Johnson, Kathy Scott, Sheryl Kerr, Nancy McCoy, Connie Kerr, and Ann Maxell. STANDING: Karla Rhamy, Ass't. Coach Bill Scott, Manager Nancy Means.

The dreams of "All the Way to State in '68" were fulfilled when the Jayettes became one of the "sweet sixteen." The season included a Tall Corn Conference Co-Championship, the Sectional Championship, and the District Championship, which placed the Jayettes among contenders for the State title. After a controversial loss to Paton-Churdan by one point, the Jayettes finished their season with an outstanding record of 21 and 2. Sisters Colleen and Paula Means were named to the All-Conference first team. Also, Paula was placed on the State sixth team and Colleen received honorable mention. Carole Dickey and Lois Means were chosen second team All-Conference and Lois Williams and Judy Raney received honorable mention.

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## YR1968PG053

Varsity

FRONT ROW: Larry Rhamy, Mike Dukes, Dick Bangston, Chuck Dukes, Clif Anderson, and Fred Bryson. BACK ROW: Jack Muller, Mgr.; Curtis Blank, Jim Reents, Jim Rusk, Don Case, Gary Rhamy, Lynn Wolfe, and Coach Jake Grasmick.

Jr. Varsity

FRONT ROW: Kenny Anderson, Norman Weaver, Larry Raney, Bill Boggess, Jerry Sprague, Gale Fengel, Stan Dunn, Dirk Dunn, and Howard Stephens. BACK ROW: Tom Woodin, Stan Peterman, Rick Sprague, John Boswell, Keith Smith, Denny Darnold, Jim Courcier, Terry Thompson, and Ass't. Coach Phil Comstock.

The Villisca Bluejays finished their season with a fine record of 16 wins and 2 losses. The Jays captured the Tall

Corn Conference Championship and the Sectional Championship before being eliminated by Corydon in the District Finals. Dick Bangston and Mike Dukes were first team All-Conference selections and Chuck Dukes and Larry Rhamy earned a spot on the second team. Those who received honorable mention were Clifton Anderson and Fred Bryson.

#### YR1968PG054

Jayettes Go to State in '68

#### YR1968PG055

Jayettes Go to State in '68

#### YR1968PG056

Jays Reach District Finals

#### YR1968PG057

Calf

Norma Bisbee, Rachel Spencer, Lois Williams, Carole Dickey, Lois Means, Mr. Bennett, Gloria Buckneberg, Elizabeth Peterson, Paula Means. The girls golf team was very successful this year by winning a second place trophy at Sectional, qualifying them for the District; at District they placed fourth. The team consisted of Judy Raney, Gloria Buckneburg, Lois Means, Paula Means, Norma Bisbee, and Lois Williams, who was the medalist for the team.

Fred Bryson, Lynn Wolfe, Don Case, Ray Sutphen, Mike Selby, Doug Honeyman, Hary Weaver, Larry McAlpin, and

Pat Bennett, Coach.

#### YR1968PG058

#### Track

FRONT ROW: Jim Reents, Jim Rusk, Ed Boggess, Chuck Dukes, Dick Bangston, Mike Dukes, Jeff Griffin, John Baker, Steve Lyle, Gary Rhamy, Curtis Blank. STANDING: Coach Grasmick, Tom Woodin, Ricky O'Rourke, Bill Wagner, Mike Lowe, Gale Fengel, Stan Dunn, Ed Johnson, Roger Kraft, Larry Northup, Bill Boggess, Coach Comstock.

**Cross Country** 

FRONT ROW: Larry Northup, Rick O'Rourke, Jim Lucas. STANDING: Clif Anderson, Coach Paul Barker, Jon McAlpin, Randall Clark, Kenny Anderson.

## YR1968PG060

1968 Track Queen

Miss Lorna Embree

## YR1968PG061

Kris Gidley, escort Mike Dukes; Lorna Embree, escort Dick Bangston; Gloria Buckneberg, escort Steve Lyle; Jeanne Strain, escort Jeff Griffin; Kinney Dickey, escort Stan Dunn; Lynn Harris, escort Tom Woodin. Flower girl Lisa Paulsen. Crown bearer Danny Sudik.

Track Queen & Candidates

## YR1968PG062

## Girls' Track

Nancy Means, Lynn Harris, Connie Kerr, Alice Griffith, Pat Knoke, Janice Gray, Martha Bangston, Jan Ward, Janet Schrader, Debbie Fast, and Kathy Scott. Coach Gary Johnson.

#### Softball

Connie Kerr, Sheri Scanlon, Paula Means, Sheryl Kerr, Linda Lovig, Karen Haley, Colleen Means, Kathy Scott, Pat Knoke, Ann Maxell, Manager; Norma Wilson. Lois Williams and Carole Dickey not pictured. Coach Vincent Else.

#### YR1968PG063

#### Baseball

FIRST ROW: Stan Peterman, Tom Woodin, Jim Courcier, Keith Smith, Mike Gray, Denny Darnold. SECOND ROW: Howard Stephens, Bill Boggess, Stan Dunn, Kenny Anderson, Dirk Dunn. THIRD ROW: Coach Jake Grasmick, Gary Rhamy, Jim Rusk, Jeff Griffin, Curtis Blank. FOURTH ROW: Fred Bryson, Don Case, Mike Dukes, Clif Anderson, Larry Rhamy.

Sock it to 'em, Mike!

Pre-game pep talk.

VHS squad and Assistant Coach Gary Johnson.

Clif Anderson, Shortstop; Bill Boggess, Right Field; Fred Bryson, Second Base; Mike Dukes, Center Field; and Gary Rhamy, Catcher.

## YR1968PG064

Juniors and Seniors

## YR1968PG065

**SENIORS** 

#### YR1968PG066

## Sponsor

MR. WAYNE CHANEY

Sponsor

MR. JAKE GRASMICK

RICHARD BANGSTON "Not to the bodily frame alone do sports give strength and character." Student Council 4. Spanish Club 1. Teen Haven Council 2. Math Club 2. Basketball 1,2, 3,4. Track 1,2,3,4. Football 1,2,3,4. Letter Club 2,3,4; Vice-Pres. 4. Band 1,2. Volcano Staff 3

President

CAROLE DICKEY "I'll gladly give you my philosophy on life, if you can spare three hours." Y-Teens 1,2, 3,4; Cabinet 3,4; Vice-President 3, Treasurer 4. Drama 1,2,3, 4. Annual Staff 2,3,4; Editor 4. Volcano Staff 3,4. Band 1,2,3, 4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4. Golf 1,2,3,4. Softball 1,2,3,4. Basketball 1, 2,3,4. Letter Club 2,3, 4; Secretary 3. Spanish Club 1,2. Homecoming Queen Candidate.

Vice-President

JUDY RANEY "Someone strangle her before she talks herself to death." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 4. Drama 2,3,4. Basketball 1,2,3,4. Letter Club 2,3,4; Officer 4. Volcano 3,4. March of Dimes Queen. Office Secretary 3. Secretary

CLIFTON ANDERSON "I'd like to be bashful, but the girls won't let me." Basketball 1,2,3,4. Baseball 1,2,3,4. Letter Club 3,4. Volcano 3, 4. Band 1,2,3,4. Math Club 4. Cross-country 4.

Treasurer

## YR1968PG067

GWEN ALEXANDER "Oh No!" Y-Teens 1, 2,3,4; Cabinet 3,4. Drama 1,2,3,4; Council 2. Annual Staff 3, 4. Basketball 1,2,3,4. Track 2. Golf 3. Letter Club 3,4; Officer 4. Class Officer 3. Volcano 3,4. Band 1, 2,3,4; President 4; Stage Band 4. Band Queen Candidate 4.

BECKY ANDERSON "Everyone else is looking for their prince, but all she wants is her Earl." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4;

Cabinet 2. Drama 2,3,4. Class Officer 3. Librarians 3,4; VicePres. 4. Chorus 1. Office Secretary 4. NORMA BISBEE "Some people like to take life slow, but I like to take it Fast." Student Council 4. Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 4. Drama 1,2,3,4; Thespian 3,4. Spanish Club 1. Librarians 3,4. Office Secretary 4. KENNY BLANK "A little nonsense now and then is relished by the best of men." Student Mgr. (F.B.) Boys Glee 4. DON BOWLING "Don't look at me, I didn't do it." Track 2. FFA 1,2,3,4.

FRED BRYSON "With the exhaustion of passion comes wisdom, but we like him better dumb." Student Council 1,2, 3,4; President 4. Drama 1,4. Spanish Club 1. Basketball 1, 2,3,4. Track 1,2,3. Football 1,2,3,4. Baseball 1,2,3,4. Letter Club 1,2,3,4. Class Officer 1. Volcano 3,4. Math Club 1,2,3,4; Vice-Pres. 3,4. Homecoming King.

## YR1968PG068

DON CASE "Life's too short to hustle." Student Council 1. Basketball 1 2 4. Football 2 4. Baseball 1 2 4. Letter Club 4. Band 1. Golf 2 3 4.

ELAINE DARNOLD "There's a great deal of mischief beneath this mild exterior." Y-Teens 2 3 4. Drama 1 2 3 4. STELLA DELANEY "Quite a card . . . the joker." Librarians 4. Office Secretary 4.

EULA DOLL "Nice, quiet, and friendly." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. FTA 1 2.

CHUCK DUKES "Here is a guy with little care, full of fun and curly hair." Drama 4. Spanish Club 3. Teen Haven Council 3. Basketball 1 2 3 4. Track 1 2 3 4. Football 1 2 3 4. Letter Club 234.

MIKE DUKES "I'm ferocious ... I think!?" Drama 1 2 3 4. Spanish Club 1 2. Basketball 1 234. Track 1 234. Football 1 2 3 4. Baseball 1 2 3 4. Letter Club 1 2 3 4. Homecoming King Candidate.

#### YR1968PG069

LORNA EMBREE "You want fun, action, excitement? Here I am!" Y-Teens 1

2 3 4; Cabinet 4. Drama 1 2 3 4. Spanish Club 1 2. Teen Haven Council 2. Volcano Staff 3 4; Correspondent. Band 1 2 3 4; Stage Band 2 3 4. Cheerleader 1 2 3 4; Head Cheerleader 4. Homecoming Queen Candidate. Track Queen Candidate 1 2 3. Band Queen Candidate 3 4. Office Sec. 4.

KURT ENO "Things don't turn up in this world unless someone turns them up." Drama 3. Spanish Club 1 2. Teen Haven Council 4; President. Basketball 1 3.Track 1 3. Football 1 2 3 4. Letter Club 3 4.

Band 1 2 3. Science Club 1. Homecoming King Candidate.

NANCY FOCHT "I used to be quiet and refined, but now I'm a SENIOR." Student Council 3 4; Sec. 3 4. Y-Teens 1 2 3 4; Cabinet 1 3 4; President 4. Drama 1 2 3 4; Thespian 3 4. Annual Staff 3 4. Spanish Club 1. Teen Haven Council 2. Class Officer 3. Volcano 3 4. Band 1 2 3 4. Cheerleader 2 3 4. Homecoming Queen. Band Queen Candidate 3 4.

JOEL FENGEL "School really isn't so bad, now that I'm leaving." Spanish Club 1 2 3 4. Basketball 1 2. Track 1 2 3 4. Football 1 2 3. LetterClub 2 3 4. Chorus 1 2 3 4

CONNIE FRANSON "Why worry about the future, I want to live NOW!" Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Drama 2 4. Spanish Club 1 2 3. Librarians 2 3 4; Vice-Pres. 3. FFA Sweetheart Candidate.

SHERRY FRYER "Sing away sorrow; cast away care." Y-Teens 1 4. Drama 1 2 3 4; Thespian 3 4. Spanish Club 1 2. FTA 1 2 3; Sec. 2. Chorus 1 2 3 4; Vice-Pres. 1, Treas. 2, Sec. 4, Council 1 2 3 4. Girls Glee 1 2 3 4.

## YR1968PG070

LAURA GANLEY "A giggle is worth a thousand groans." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Drama 2. Track 1.

LEO GARD "Study is a pastime-why overdo it?" Ass't. Manager (F.B.). Science Club 4. Chorus 3 4.

SHIRLEY GAREY "Here's a girl with a heart and a smile that makes the bubble of life worthwhile." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Drama 2 3 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Science Club 1 2. Girls Glee 1 2 4; Sec. 4. FFA Sweetheart Candidate. Office Sec. 3.

KRIS GIDLEY "I am here but my thoughts are elsewhere." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4; Cabinet 2 3 4. Drama 1 2 3 4; Thespian 3 4. Annual Staff 2 3 4; Business Mgr. 4. Spanish Club 1 2. Basketball 1 2. Softball 2 3. Letter Club 3 4. Golf 1 2 3 4. Volcano Staff 3 4; Editor 4. Band 1 2 3 4. Cheerleader 4. Homecoming Queen Candidate. Track Queen 3. Band Queen 4. Office Secretary 3 4.

JUDY GOETTSCH "A girl can say little but think much." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Band 1 2 3 4; Stage Band 3 4. Chorus 1. JINI HAUSEN "It's people like her who keep the world going-upside down!" Y-Teens 1 2 3 4; Cabinet 4. Drama 2 4. Spanish Club 3 4; President 4. Basketball 2. Office Sec. 3. Pep Club 4. Chorus 1 2 3 4; Girls Glee 4. FFA Sweetheart.

#### YR1968PG071

JUDY KENDRICK "Nothing is as contagious as enthusiasm." Y-Teens 2 3 4; Cabinet 3 4. Drama 1 2. Librarians 2 3  $^4$ 

BILL JACOBS "I stay out of trouble because I'm intelligent, careful, wise .. . and CHICKEN!" Football 1 2 3 4. Letter Club 4. Science Club 4. Chorus 1 2 4; Boys Glee 4, Secretary. FFA 1 2 3 4; Secretary 4.

COLLEEN LEWIS "Silence is golden, but she's off the gold standard." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4.

JANICE LONG "Refinement and culture are very desirable, but not too desirable to prevent a little nonsense now and then." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Drama 1 2 3 4; Clerk 4; Thespian 3 4. Spanish Club 1 2. Teen Haven Council 3. Basketball 1. Volcano Staff 3 4. Band 1 2 3 4. Chorus 1 3 4; President 4.

MERI LOWE "Ashes to ashes, dust to dust, show me a man I can trust." Y-Teens 1 4. Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; Secretary 4. Librarians 2 3 4; Sec. 3, President 4. FTA 1 2; District Rep. Chorus 1 2.

LARRY McALPIN "What he wants most out of school is himself." Spanish Club 1. Football 2. Golf 2 3 4. Math Club 2 3 4; Sec: Tres. 4. Science Club 1 4. Pep Club.

#### VR1968PG072

STEVE MARSH "Could I drive you somewhere? (Like CRAZY?)" Spanish Club 1 2 3. Football 3. Student Mgr. (F.B.) 1. Chorus 1 2 3 4; Boys Glee 4. FFA 4.

DOUG MAXWELL "Help me think of something that's fun for TWO." Drama 4. Basketball 1. Band 1. FFA 1 2 3 4; Vice-President 4.

PAULA MEANS "My idea of an agreeable person is one that agrees with me." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Drama 4. Basketball 1 2 3 4. Softball 1 2 3 4. Track 2. Golf 4. Letter Club 1 2 3 4.

SANDRA MOTSINGER "You don't have to hang from a tree to be a nut." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Drama 1 2. Librarians 2 3 4. FTA 2. Chorus 1 2.

JULIE PARKER "She has a Sunday School face and Saturday night ideas." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4; Cabinet 4. Drama 1 2 3 4; Council 2 3 4; VicePres. 3, President 4. Spanish Club 1,2; Treasurer 1. Homecoming Queen Candidate. FFA Sweetheart Candidate. Office Secretary 4.

BEV PETERMAN "If there's mischief brewing, she's doing the stirring." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4; Cabinet 4. Drama 1 2 3 4; Council 4. Spanish Club 1 2. Class Officer 1 2. Volcano Staff 3 4; Business Mgr. 4. Librarians 3. Chorus 1 4.

#### YR1968PG073

DARWIN PETERSON It's not what you do that counts, but what you get caught doing." Band 1 2 3 4; Stage Band 3 4. Math Club 2. Science Club 1 2 3 4; Vice-Pres. 3, President 4. Chorus 1 3 4; Boys Glee 4.

ELIZABETH PETERSON "Innocent in appearance but devilish in action." Y-Teens 1

2 3 4. Drama 2. Spanish Club 1 3 4; VicePres. 4. Volcano Staff

3 4. Band 1 2 3 4. Golf 1 2 4.

MARY PETERSON "A smile is her universal pass- port." Y-Teens 1 2 3. Librarians 4.

DENNIS PHYLLIS "If you never get into trouble, you're missing something!" Science Club 4. FFA 4.

REBECCA POORE "No one can enjoy life . . . alone." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4; Cabinet 2 3 4. Class Officer 2 3. Science Club 1 2 3 4; Sec. 2 3 4. Band 1 2 3 4. Volcano Staff 3 4.

LARRY RHAMY "The girls like me, but I can't help it." Student Council 1. Teen Haven Council 1. Basketball 1 2 3 4. Track 1 2. Football 1 2 3 4. Baseball 1 2 3 4. Letter Club 2 3 4; VicePres. 3, President 4. Class President 2 3. Math Club 2. Homecoming King Candidate. March of Dimes King.

## YR1968PG074

LINDA RIDENOUR "Life ... what a struggle!" Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Drama 1 2 4. Basketball 1 2. FTA 2; District Rep. 2. GARY ROBERTS "I'll gladly tell you all I know, if you can spare a couple of minutes." Chorus 2. FFA 1 2 3.

CAROL ROTH "To be her friend is worth one's while." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Drama 1 2 3 4. Basketball 1. Band 1 2 3 4. Golf 1 4.

CONNIE RUCKER "A smile is a curve that can set many things straight." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Drama 1 2 3 4. Librarians 2 3 4; Treasurer 4. Chorus 1 2. Office Secretary 4.

KARLA RUSSELL "Around this girl never blink; it might be mistaken for a wink." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4. Librarians 3 4. Chorus 2 3 4.

DOUG SCOTT "Content to let the world wag on as it will." Student Janitor.

#### YR1968PG075

RANDY SCOTT "Small in stature, but how he gets around!" FFA 1 2 3 4. Chorus 1 2 3.

MIKE SELBY "Casanova's dead; Romeo's gone; but I'm still here." Drama 4. Basketball 1 2. Football 1 2 3 4. Baseball 1. Letter Club 3 4. Golf 2

3 4. Chorus 3 4.

JANET SKAHILL "Small, but so is a stick of dynamite." Drama 1 2 3 4. Spanish Club 1. Volcano Staff 3 4. Band 1 2 3 4. FTA 1 2 3; Officer 2 3.

RICHARD SMITH "Quietness is his loudest feature." Basketball 1. Football 1 2.

RACHEL SPENCER "She was cut out to be an angel, but somebody lost the pattern." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4; Cabinet 3 4; Secretary 4. Letter Club 4. Golf 1 2 3 4. Spanish Club 1. Band 1 2 3 4.

JERRY SPRAGUE "If there's nothing to do—let me do it." Drama 4. Basketball 4.

#### YR1968PG076

MIKE SPRAGUE "Quiet men at times are most surprising!"

MARIE STEPHENS "I don't care how you spell my name, I'm going to change it soon anyway." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4; Cabinet 4. Drama 1 2. Track 2. Volcano Staff 3 4. Band 1 2 3 4. Librarians 3 4. Math Club 1 2. Science Club 1 2 3 4. FTA 1 2. Chorus 3.

KATHY STRAND "Somewhat quiet, but they who know her best, say she is not always so." Y-Teens 3 4. (Transfer)

RAY SUTPHEN "Be good and you will be lonesome." Basketball 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Band 1 2 3 4. Golf 2. Science Club 1 2 3 4; Vice-President 4.

BILL TAYLOR "I wish there was some other way of starting the day besides waking up." Basketball 1 2. Football 4. FFA 4. Boys Glee 4. Chorus 1 234.

GREG WARD "At last I've gained my freedom!" Science Club 4. Chorus 12.

#### YR1968PG077

HARVEY WEAVER "He has achieved much who has lived well, laughted often, and loved many." Drama 4; Thespian 3 4. Basketball 1 2. Track 1. Football 1 2 3 4. Letter Club 1 2 3 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Band 1 2 3 4; Stage Band 1 2 3 4. Golf 2 3 4. Math Club 1 2 3 4; Vice-Pres. 3, President 4. Science Club 1 2. Boys State.

MARVIN WHITE "I never think of the future, it comes soon enough." Science Club 2 3 4. Chorus 2 3; Boys Glee 4.

WALTER WILCOXON I can resist anything, except temptation." (Transfer)

LOIS WILLIAMS "She is thy friend indeed; she will help thee in thy need." Y-Teens 1 2 3 4; Cabinet 3 4. Drama 1 2 3 4. Annual Staff 3 4. Basketball 1 2 3 4. Softball 1 2 3 4. Letter Club 2 3 4. Volcano Staff 3 4. Golf 1 2 3 4. Office Secretary 4.

## YR1968PG078

## Senior Trip

God, please send us Smokey the Bear!

Don't look now folks, but our bus is on fire!

Darwin provides dinner music.

Let's go troops!

The big yellow bus is here and we can't find Loruss!

Watch it Don, she's got a Royal Flush!

Hey, Dumbelle, this isn't the country where you burp after the meal to be polite!

Chow time . . .

Nothing like a brisk game of strip poker.

## YR1968PG079

**MEMORIES** 

#### YR1968PG081

Prom

#### YR1968PG082

**Outstanding Science Teacher Award** 

Master of Ceremonies

Math Award

Awards Night

FFA Awards

**Outstanding Librarian Award** 

Girls Golf Letter-Winners

Journalism Awards

Home Ec. Awards

Best Actor and Actress

## YR1968PG083

Top Scholars

VALEDICTORIAN Becca Poore

**SALUTATORIAN Nancy Focht** 

Clifton Anderson Carole Dickey Becca Poore Lorna Embree Larry Rhomy

Nancy Focht Kris Gridley Harvey Weaver Rachel Spencer Lois Williams

Nancy Focht

Winner of Schroeder Scholarship

Y-Teen President, Nancy Focht, presents Y-Teen Scholarship to Lois Williams.

## YR1968PG084

Graduation

May 28, 1968

PRESIDENT DICK BANGSTON

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**CLASS OF 1968** 

## YR1968PG085

TRIPLE TRIO SINGING "GRADUATION DAY" AND "HALLS OF IVY".

SHERRY FRYER

FRED BRYSON

## YR1968PG086

PROM

PREPARING FOR PROM

BASEBALL

HOMECOMING

BONFIRE

Memories

**EARLY BAND** 

DISTRICT FINALS

#### YR1968PG087

TYPICAL SCHOOL DAY

SPEECH CLASS

MARCH OF DIMES KING AND QUEEN

Larry Rhamy and Judy Raney

ARRIVAL OF ANNUALS

**AWARDS NIGHT** 

FOOTBALL SEASON

## YR1968PG088

**School Events** 

1967

October

December

September 12 Y-Teen Initiation March 2 District Speech Contest

> 13 State Basketball Tournament Game 16 Mount Ayr Band Day

25 Y-Teen Powderpuff Football Game 26 Parade of Bands

26 FFA Slave Auction 25-29 Twirp Week

30 Maryville Band Day April 2 Senior Skip

7 Clarinda Band Day 4 Athletic Banquet

14 State Marching Contest 6 Band Smorgasbord

21 Y-Teen Fall Conference 18 FFA Banquet

19-20 Small Group & Solo Chorus—Band November 3 Homecoming

> 14 Split Glee Concert 22 District Student Council Convention

6- 7 Creston Little All-State (Band) 25 Mixed Chorus Concert

12 Y-Teen Dad-Daughter Fix-it 29 Student Council Elections

16 Christmas Ball 30 Bluejay Relays; Dress-down Day

2 Home Ec. Style Show 19 Band-Chorus Christmas Program May

27 & 29 Javette Invitational Tournament 4 Large Group Band—Chorus

11 Jr.-Sr. Prom and Banquet

16 FFA and Y-Teen Pheasant Feed 16 Seniors' last day

20 March of Dimes Dance

21 Chorus—Band Honors Concert 23 Mixed Chorus Concert 22 Mother-Daughter Tea (Y-Teeri)

4-8 Youth Week 26 Baccalaureate

7-8 Creston Little All-State (Chorus) 27 Awards Night

23 FFA Sweetheart Dance 28 Commencement

**World News Events** 

1967

1968

January

February

September 3 South Vietnam Elects Lieutenant General Nguyen Van Thieu as president

10 "Surveyor V" soft-lands on moon

18 United Nations General Assembly ends emergency session on Middle East issue

21 First Thai combat troops in South Vietnam

October 2 Supreme Court of the U.S. opens 1967-68 Term

4-12 World Series won by St. Louis Cardinals 21 Israeli destroyer sunk off Sinai Coast 2

11-22 "End the Vietnam War" marchers in Washington, D.C. storm Pentagon

24 Israel shells port of Suez

November 1-8 Vice-President Humphrey ends Asian tour

15 Fighting erupts on Cyprus

18 Great Britain devalues pound sterling

22 United States forces take Hill 875 in Vietnam; United Nations votes on Middle East crisis

28 Communist China barred from U.N.

29 Robert McNamara new president of World Bank, but continues as Secretary of Defense until

early 1968

December 3 World's first successful transplant performed by Christian Barnard in Cape Town, South

Africa

5 War and draft protesters demonstrate in New York City

 $9\ White\ House\ wedding.\ Lynda\ Bird\ Johnson\ and\ Captain\ Charles\ Robb\ are\ married\ in\ East$ 

Room

20 U.N. General Assembly adjourns

21 Double pneumonia causes death of heart transplant patient

24 President Johnson completes global journey

25 Christmas truce in Vietnam ends 31 Truce in Vietnam

1968

January Fashion sees a revival of the '30s following "Bonnie and Clyde"

February Pueblo Incident

Peggy Fleming wins gold medal for figure skating

March 1968 Presidential Campaigns

Johnson announces that he will not seek re-election

Assassination of Martin Luther King

May Peace talks for Vietnam

June 6 Assassination of Senator Robert Kennedy

## YR1968PG089

## IN MEMORY

Raymond Sutphen, an active senior at Villisca Community High School, lost his life in a car accident Thursday, May 16, 1968. He was always known by his classmates as having a deep interest in the field of science. Ray received the Outstanding Senior Scientist award, having been unanimously elected by the senior members of Science Club to receive this honor. He was also active in the Band, and enjoyed playing the piano and organ. Ray was a popular, well-liked student with a great sense of humor. He will be remembered and missed by all who knew him.

## YR1968PG090

A yearbook is like a magic mirror, capturing, holding, and reflecting forever the vibrant force and personality which was our school year.

A yearbook is people –and people are laughter, tears, cheers, taunts, dreams, studies, goofing off. And a yearbook is events—proms, music, dates, and lack of dates. Football games won and celebrated; football games lost with tired senior players walking silently together for a last look at the lengthening shadows on a now-empty field, turning quickly away with unhidden tears.

A yearbook is life—a year of life—a year lived—a year now gone. Yes, this year has passed away, but for those

who have trodden these hallowed halls, the cherished moments and close friendships will never be forgotten. And the high ideals and character generated within these walls will remain as a promise of inspiration and guidance to each of us for countless years to come.

#### YR1968PG091

THE PAST FOREVER GONE . . .

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#### YR1968PG096

May, 1968

Dear VHS:

From goofing up pages to the finished product, we admit, it's been quite a bit of work, but always a lot of fun and we hope our efforts will help you remember this year forever. There are many people to whom we wish to express our appreciation:

The merchants of Villisca, Nodaway, Red Oak, and Clarinda who bought advertising in order that we could meet our financial needs;

Mr. Baxter and the faculty who let us interrupt classes to take the pictures needed for the Annual;

Mr. Baldwin of Stern Studios who survived the unbelievable madness created by staff members;

Mr. Barker, our sponsor, who, in those times of confusion always managed to keep his cool; And to everyone else who helped make this 1967-68 edition of the BLUEJAY possible. We hope that this book has captured those true moments that were YOUR year of 1968.

Sincerely.

THE BLUEJAY STAFF

SENIORS: Gwen Alexander, Carole Dickey, Nancy Focht, Kris Gidley, Lois Williams JUNIORS: Pam Bangston, Randy Bloom, Gary Rhamy, Jim Rusk

SOPHOMORES: Kinney Dickey, Larry Raney SPONSOR: Paul Barker

## YR1968PG097

Autographs

## YR1969PG001

Presenting . . . The 1969 Bluejay Villisca Community School Villisca, Iowa Volume XLIV

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#### YR1969PG003

A Tribute to Dr. and Mrs. Sullivan

Gifts of appreciation from the Villisca Faculty.

A dedicated Administrator.

The Sullivans moved to Villisca in 1959. Mr. Sullivan was principal his first two years at VHS and superintendent the last eight years. While serving as superintendent in '66, he received his Doctors degree from the University of Nebraska. The past three years Dr. Sullivan served as President of Southwest Iowa Education Association and was on the Executive Board of S.W.I.E.A. and also the South Central Iowa Education Association. Besides being on the Representative Council of Girls Athletic Union for four years, Dr. Sullivan is a member of American Association of School Administrators, professional fraternity Phi Delta Kappa, National Education Association, Iowa School Administrators, Iowa Education Association, and Association of Supervision and Curriculum. The Sullivans will be missed by the students and faculty of VHS as well as many friends of the community.

## YR1969PG004

## Foreword

Mankind is going down the drain. So say the self-appointed critics of our time. What they don't realize is that mankind has at no time been any place else. Man has actually advanced no farther than the level of civilization attained by the most primitive caveman. Modern man still discriminates, destroys, and defies. Technical advancement has merely made it easier to accomplish these ends.

We, the class of '69, have the opportunity to make a contribution far greater in potential than the electric light, automobile, or atomic bomb. We can attempt to restore human honor and dignity to every individual; we can promote compassion for one's adversaries; and, we can strive to instill respect for one's chosen leaders. Discrimination and persecution, or respect and dignity? Selfishness or generosity? Contempt or concern? Hatred or compassion? In short, primitive futility or true civilization?

... It's up to us.

#### YR1969PG005

#### Dedication

In addition to teaching history and speech, she has been a loyal Y-Teen and Drama sponsor. Using her own talents in the field of dramatics, she has helped to put on such entertainment as the Musical Review, Home Talent Show, and many plays.

Her school spirit and ability to get along with others has made her a well-liked teacher of V.H.S. and the community.

With sincere appreciation for her tireless work, we proudly dedicate the 1969 Bluejay to Miss Sharon O'Leary.

#### YR1969PG006

Administration

ROBERT BAXTER Principal

LOUIS A. SULLIVAN Superintendent

SCHOOL BOARD—BACK: Willis Marvick, Don Means, Vice-president; Gerald Maxwell, Gene Smith. FRONT: Tom Rusk, President; Louis Sullivan, Roberta Dickey, Secretary; Ethel Gunderman, Treasurer (NOT PICTURED).

## YR1969PG007

Faculty

PATRICK BENNETT Psychology-Sociology English 9 & 10

VICTOR ELLISON Spanish English 9

**WAYNE CHANEY Chemistry Physics** 

ROBERT FELDMAN Vocal Music Study Hall

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#### YR1969PG008

JAKE GRASMICK American Problems Athletic Director World History DWIGHT LEWIS Guidance Counselor LARRY HUMMEL Industrial Arts GARY JOHNSON Algebra II General Math Coach

SHARON O'LEARY American History Speech

LANGE LEVAGE Transition

JANICE LEWIS Typing

## YR1969PG009

RUTH PAULSEN English 9 Library
BILL SCOTT Alegbra I Geometry Coach
NADIM SAIKALY Study Hall Monitor
SYLVIA SMITH Home Economics Family Living
DALE SPENCER Agriculture

## YR1969PG010

GAYLIN SUDIK Band
MARCH TINKHAM English Volcano
HELEN SUTPHEN School Nurse
TERRY TWIGG Art
LEONA WERTMAN Physical Education

## YR1969PG011

Personnel
LORUSS GRASMICK Superintendent's Secretary
CAROL GREENFIELD Principal's Secretary
ALVIN ZELLMER Head Custodian
JERRY COOPER Custodian
PAUL NORTHUP Custodian

#### YR1969PG012

Cooks and Bus Drivers

Mildred Doan, Edna Weaver, Irma Brannan, Evadna Stackhouse.

Floyd Marvick, John Frazee, Carroll Kraft, Gladys Abbott, Joe Copelin, Jerry Cooper, Lawrence Lewis, Bill Buntsma, John Kemery, Julius March, Don Wirth.

#### YR1969PG013

**SENIORS** 

## YR1969PG014

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BOB HARPER "He may lose his heart but never his head." Science Club 3,4, Student Council 3,4, Class Officer 4, Pres.

JIM RUSK "I can drive better with one hand, than most men can with two." Letter Club 4, Science Club 1, 2,3,4, Annual Staff 3, Volcano Staff 3, Football 1,2,3,4, Basketball 1,2,3, Track 1,3, Baseba111,2,3,4, Class Officer 4, Vice-pres., Concert Band 1,2,3, Marching Band 1,2,3.

PAT McCONNELL "There are many subjects, but only one queen." Drama 1,2,3,4, Council 2,3,4, Vicepres. 3, Pres. 4, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Cabinet 2,3,4, Vice-pres. 3, Treas. 4, Chorus Council 4, Girls Glee 2,3, Chorus 1,2,3, 4, Little All State—Chorus 3, Musical Review 4, One Act 4, Class Officer 3,4, Sec. Homecoming Queen 4, Office Sec.—Princ. 2,3, Ag. Sec. 1,2, Supt. 4.

MARY POORE "Calm as the night, deep as the sea." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Cabinet 2,3,4, Pres. 4, Band 1,2,3,4, Council

3, Spanish Club 1,2, Volcano Staff 3, Concert Band 1,2,3,4, Marching Band 1,2,3,4, Little Allstate—Band 4, Class Officer 4, Treas.

## YR1969PG015

PAT ANDERSON "If silence were golden she would be a millionaire" Drama 4, Y-Teens 1,2, 3,4, Spanish Club 2, Librarians 1.2.

JOHN BAKER "I've served my term now let me out" Drama 2,3, Teen Haven Council 3, Letter Club 2,3,4, Pres. 4, Student Council 2,3,4, Vice-pres. 3, Treasurer 4, Math 4, Football 1,2,3,4, Basketball 2, Track 1,3, Golf 2,4, Class Officer Vice-president 1, President 2.

PAM BANGSTON "If you can't convince'em confuse'em"Drama 2,3, 4, Council 4, Clerk, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 3,4, Band Council 3, Spanish 1, Librarians 2, 3,4, Vice-president 4, Annual Staff 2,3,4, Jr. Editor 3, Editor 4, Volcanco Staff 4, Class Secretary 1, J.V. Cheerleader 2, Varsity Cheerleader 4, Band Concert 1,2,3,4, Marching 1,2,3, 4, Band Queen Candidate 3,4, Homecoming Queen Candidate 4.

CURTIS BLAND "Why should the devil have all the fun?" Letter Club 2,3,4, F.F.A. 2,3, Science Club 1, Football 1,2,3,4, Basketball 1,2,3,4, Track 1,2,3, Baseball 1,2,3.

RANDY BLOOM "There is only one leading lady in his cast of many characters" F.C.A. 3,4, Secretary 4, Drama 1,2,3,4, Council 2,3, Treasurer 2, Letter Club 2,3,4, Science Club 4, Annual Staff 1,2,3, Football 1,2,3,4, Track 1,2,4, All-Conference Football 4, Class Officer 1, Treasurer 1, Boy's Glee 1,2,3, One-Act 3,4.

ED BOGGES "Frequently with my brain, I gently think a thought" F.C.A. 3, Letter Club 2,3,4, Science Club

1,2,3,4, Volcanco Staff 3, Football 1,2,3,4, Track 1,2, 3,4, Class Officer Treasurer 3, Little All State-Band 4, Concert 1,2,3,4, Marching 1,2,3,4.

## YR1969PG016

KATHY BOYLE "No one has to amuse me. I amuse myself." Y-Teens 1,2,3, Spanish 1, 2, Girls Glee 2, Chorus 1.2.3.

PAT BRADLEY "The truly great are often misunderstood." Drama 4, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Cabinet 4, Spanish Club 1, Little All State — Chorus 4, Girls Glee 2,3, Chorus 1,2,3,4.

VICKY BROWN "I'll do anything once." Drama 1,2,3,4, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, J-V Cheerleader 1, Ag. Secretary 2,3,4, Girls Glee 2, Chorus 2, FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4, Musical Review

JAMES BRUCE "If only I could sleep as soundly at night as I can when it's time to get up.

GLORIA BUCKNEBERG "How come my temperature rises when I see a blonde?" Drama 2,3,4, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Band Council 1, Letter Club 4, Spanish Club 1, Librarians 3,4, Treasurer 4, J-V Cheerleader 1, Track Queen Candidate 1,2,3, Band Queen Candidate 2, Homecoming Queen Candidate 4, March of Dimes Queen 4. Office Secretary 4, Little All State 4, FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4, Small Groups Instrumental 1,2,3,4, Golf 3, Class Officer, Sec. 2, Varsity Cheerleader 2,3,4, Band 1,2,3,4,

DOUG DARNOLD "Personally, I think the best presents come in small packages." Band Council 2,3,4, Letter Club 2, Spanish Club 1, Science Club 1,2,3, Basketball 1, Golf 1,2, Little All State 4, Band 1,2,3,4, Concert Band 1,2,3,4, Marching Band 1,2,3,4, Small Group Instrumental 1,2,3,4.

#### YR1969PG017

LARRY DeMEO "Whenever I feel like working, I lay down until the feeling goes away."

BEV ERICKSON "Somebody strangle her before she talks herself to death." Y-Teens 1,2, 3,4, Letter Club 3,4, Spanish Club 1, Volcano Staff 3, Basketball 2,3,4, Band Queen Candidate 4, Little All State —Band 4, Concert Band 1,2,3,4, Marching Band 1,2,3,4.

DENNY FAST "A welcome new face, with a personality which belies his red hair." Transfer. Letter Club 4, Basketball 4, Golf 4.

GREG FRANSON "There are two sides to every story—the wrong side and my side." Drama 1,2,3,4, FFA 2, 3,4, Spanish Club 1, Football 1,2,3, Track 1, Class Officer 2, Vicepres., One Act 4.

CHERYL FREY "If the teachers would listen they could learn a lot from me." Drama 1, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Cabinet 2, Letter Club 3,4, Spanish Club 1, Volcano Staff 3, Math Club 1,2,3,4, Basketball 1,2,3, Softball 1,2,4, Office Sec. 4, Concert Band 1,2,3,4, Marching Band 1,2,3,4.

CAROL GEYER "Play and I'll play with you, study and you'll study alone." Y-Teens 1,2,3, 4, Chorus Council 3, Girls Glee 1,2,3, Chorus 1,2,3, Small Groups—Vocal 1, Little All State—Corus 1, Librarians 1, Spanish Club 1,2.

## YR1969PG018

KATHY GOURLEY "I'm here, but my thoughts are elsewhere." Y-Teens 1,2,3, 4, Letter Club 3, Spanish Club 1, Librarians 4, Basketball 1,2,3, Track 1, Softball 1,2, Concert Band 1,2,3,4, Marching Band 1,2,3,4. MARSHA GREEN-FIELD "Around this girl never blink, it might be mistaken for a wink." Drama 4, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Cabinet 2,3, Teen Haven Council 4, Chorus Council 3,4, Girls Glee 3,4, Girls Glee Council, Pres. 3, V-Pres. 4, Varisty Cheerleader 4, Office 4, Varsity Cheerleader 4, Office Secretary 2,3,4, Little All State Chorus 3,4, Girls Glee 2,3,4, Chorus 1,2, 3,4.

JEFF GRIFFIN "I can resist anything but temptation." FCA 3,4, Captain 3,4, Drama 1, 2,3,4, Drama Council 3, Teen Haven Council 2, Chorus Council 3, Letter Club 3,4, Spanish Club 1, Volcano Staff 3, Student Council 1, FTA 2, Football 1,2,3,

4, Basketball 1,2,4, Track 1,2,3, Baseball 1, 2,3, Class President 1, Vice-president 3, Boys Glee 2,3, Boys Glee President 3, Chorus 2,3, One Act Play 3,4, Small Vocal Group 3.

DOUG HONEYMAN "Bashful and quiet but noticeable." Drama 1,2, Spanish Club 1, Science Club 2,3,4, Football 1, Golf 2,3,4, Little All State Band 1, Concert Band 1,2,3,4, Marching Band 1,2,3,4.

SANDY HYINK "The days are too short for all the thoughts I want to think." Transfer. National Junior Honor Society 1, Pep Club 2, Red Cross 2, Girl Scouts Vice-Pres. 2,3.

MIKE JACKSON "Don't look at me, I didn't do it." FFA 1,2, 3,4, FFA Chapter Reporter.

#### YR1969PG019

BRENDA JOHNSON "Always work—no play." Drama 1,3,4, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Cabinet 3, Band 4, Concert 1,2, 3,4, Marching 1,2,3;4, Basketball 1, Little All State Band 4, Girls Glee 3,4, Small Group Vocal 3,4.

STEVE LYLE "I'll tell you, they need more men like me." Drama 1,2,3,4, Letter Club 2,3, 4, FFA 2,3,4, Spanish 1,2, Volcano Staff 3, Student Council 4, Pres. 4, FFA District VicePres. 3,4, Football 1,2, 3,4, Basketball 2, Track 2,3, Golf 4, Baseball 1, Class Pres. 3, March of Dimes King 4, One Act Play 3,4, Boy's State 3.

JANESE McALPIN "Life is only what you make it—nothing more." Drama 1,2,3,4, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Librarians 2,3, Annual Staff 4, Volcano Staff 4, Girls Glee 1,2,3, Chorus 1,2,3.

SANDY McCLELLAND "A head full of knowledge, a heart full of music." Drama 4, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Cabinet 4, Chorus 1,4, Spanish Club 1,2, Office Sec. 1,2,3, Little All State—Chorus 3,4, Girls Glee 1,2,3,4 Chorus—Small Groups 1,2,3,4, Musical Review 4.

DEED MARCKMANN "I didn't live long—single." Y-Teens 1,2,3, Teen Haven Council 1, Girls Glee 1,2,3, Librarians 2,3, Annual Staff 4, Volcano Staff 4, Office Secretary Ag. 3, FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4, Small Group Vocal 2.

COLLEEN MEANS "I was cut out to be an angel, but somehow the pattern got lost." Drama 2,3,4, Council 4, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Letter Club 1,2,3,4, Spanish Club 1, Volcano Staff 3, Student Council 1, Basketball 1, 2,3, Athletic Secretary 2.

#### YR1969PG020

LINDA MEANS "Oh! will a week ever pass that everything goes right?" Drama 2,3, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Letter Club 3,4, Basketball Manager 1, Office Sec. 1,2,3,4, FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4, Crisco Homemaking Award 3. LOIS MEANS "Follow my rule—it's more fun." Drama 2,3,4, Treas. 4, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Letter Club 2,3,4, Volcano Staff 3, Student Council 4, Basketball 1,2,3, 4, Golf 3, Homecoming Queen Candidate 4, FFA Sweetheart 4, Office Sec. 1, Ag. Sec. 2,3,4.

RICK MEEK "A big smile and loud pipes get

attention in life."

MARLIN OLSON "Chase me girls I'm full of fun." Drama 3, FFA 1,2,3,4 Math Club 1, Class Officer 3 Treas. One Act Play 3.

LINDA PERRIN "It matters not how long you live, but how." Drama 1,2,3,4, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Cabinet 4, Annual Staff 4, Volcano Staff 3,4, Editor 4, Little All State Band 4, Girls Glee 1, Band 1,2,3, 4, Marching and Concert Small Group—Instrumental 2,3,4.

ED PETERSON "He rattles on just like his cars." Band Council 4, Pres. 4, Band 1,2,3,4, Marching and Concert Little All State Band 4, Small Group—Instrumental 2,3,4, Letter Club 3,4, Spanish Club 1,2,3,4, Football 1,2,3,4.

#### YR1969PG021

STEVE PETERSON "God bless the man who invented sleep." FFA 2,3,4; Parilamentarian 4.

SUE PETERSON "Life is a picture paint it

well" Drama 1,2,3,4, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Y-Teen Cabinet 3, Spanish Club 1, Band Queen 4 4, Little All State 4, Band, Concert Band 1, 2,3,4, Marching Band 1,2,3,4.

ED PHILPOTT "So I've graduated, what else is new?" Drama 2, Science Club 3, One Act Play 3, Football 1, 2. JIM REENTS "He may do something sensational yet—but then." Librarians 3,4, Basketball 2,4, Track, 3,4, Cross Country 4, Baseball 4.

GARY RHAMY "It is the man of mischief who keeps the world alive." Teen Haven Council 4, Letterman's Club 2,3,4, FFA 1,2,3, 4, Annual Staff 3, Football 1,2,3,4, Basketball 1,2,3,4, Track 1,2,3,4, Baseball 1,2,3,4, One Act Play 3.

SHERI SCANLON "The course of true love never did run smooth." Drama 2,3,4, Y-Teens 3,4, Letterman's Club 2,3,4, Spanish Club 1, Librarians 1,2,3,4, Pres. 4, Sec. 3, District Sec. 4. State Historian 4, Basketball 1,2,3,4, Track 1,2,3, Softball 1,2,3,4, Concert Band 1,2,3, Marching Band 1,2,3, One Act Play 4, Student Director 4.

#### YR1969PG022

SANDY SIMMONS "The gift of being agreeable." Y-Teens 1, 2,3,4, Chorus 2, Girls Glee 2,3,4, Spanish Club 2,3,4, Sec.-Treas. 4, Librarians 2,3,4, Sec. 4.

DENNIS SMITH "It was obvious he was cut out to be a leader, he was just sewn up wrong." FFA 1,2,3,4, Reporter 4, Science Club 4.

JEANNE STRAIN "I sigh at many, but love only one." Drama Club 1,2,3,4, Council 1, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Cabinet 1, Teen Haven Council 3, Annual Staff 4, Volcano Staff 4, Student Council 2,3,

Varsity Cheerleader 2,3,4, 3,4, J.-V.Cheerleader 1, Track Queen Candidate 3, Homecoming Queen Candidate 4, Office Sec. 2,3, Ag. Sec. 1, Girls Glee 1,2, Chorus 1,2, Musical Review 4.

DAVID STALDER "The best thing I like about school is going home." Letter Club 1, 2,3,4, Football Mgr. 1, 2,3,4, Basketball Mgr. 1,2, Track Mgr. 1,2, Baseball Mgr. 1,2, Marching Band 1,2,3, Concert Band 1,2,3.

MELODY STRICKLAND "I make the most of all that comes and the least of all that goes." Drama Club 3,4, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Teen Haven Council 2, Spanish Club 1, Librarians 2, 3, Volcano Staff 3,4, Editor 4, Student Council 3, J.-V. Cheerleader 2, Girls Glee 1,2, Chorus 1,2, Musical Review 4.

#### YR1969PG023

KURT WARD "Height turned upside down." FFA 1,2,3, Science Club 1.

HOWARD WHITE "Till I came the world was incomplete." Science Club 1,2,3,4, Librarian, Historian 3, Vice-Pres. 4. Volcano Staff 3.

CODY WINTHER "Someone who likes life and life likes him." FFA 1,2,3,4; Treas. 3, Pres. 4, District Treas. 4, Football 1

LYNN WOLFE "Always leave them laughing when you say good-bye." Teen Haven Council 1, FFA 2,3, Science Club 1,2, Football 1,2, Basketball 1,2,3,4, Baseball 1, 2,3,4, Softball 3, Cross Country 1, Class Officer 3, Treas.

## YR1969PG024

Seniors

## YR1969PG025

UNDERCLASSMEN

## YR1969PG026

Class of 70

Ken Anderson

Pat Anderson

Tom Baldwin

Alice Griffith

Mr. Lewis

Dirk Dunn Pres.

Debbie GundermanVice-Pres.

Sharon Beedle

**Elaine Boggess** 

Bill Boggess

Charm Brown

Stan Brownlee

Pres.

Vice-Pres.

Marilyn Clark

Randy Clark

Russell Currins

Kinney Dickey

Donnie Dresser

Marcia Johnson

Steve Kernen

**Bunny Dukzs** 

Stan Dunn

Doug Fast

Gale Fengel

Lyle Frey

Mari Gustafson Not Pictured

Randy Jackson Not Pictured

Kenny Gage

**Rod Getting** 

Vicki Geyer

Sherry Gillespie

Denise Gourley

Connie Gray

Janice Gray

Mike Gray Chris Hausen

Ed Johnson

Merri Bangston Not Pictured

## YR1969PG027

Class of 70

Linda Lovig Sec.

Sandy Roberts Treas.

Mr. Comstock

Sheryl Kerr

Roger Kraft

Lorna Long

Mike Lowe

Wayne McKinley

Diana Stubbs

Betty Sunderman

John Means

Jack Muller Ricki O'Rourke

Randy Nash Not Pictured

Nandy Nasii Not Fictured

Larry Northrup Not Pictured

Jim Russell

Dennis Rucker

Carol Schremser

Jeri Smith

**Betty Sparks** 

Carol Sprague

Roy Taylor

Bill Wagner

Norm Weaver

Alice Lewis

Jim Lucas

Peg Peterson

Carole Shaver

Joyce Strand

Tom Wheeler

Danny Lindberg

Tom Marsh

Larry Raney

Mike Skahill

**Howard Stephens** 

Norma Wilson

## YR1969PG028

Class of 71

Susan Bowling

Jane Core

Mr. Sudik

Stan Peterman Pres.

Karen Haley Vice-Pres.

Dennis Danielson

**Gary Eifert** 

Lewis Eifert

Debbie Fast

Fellicia Figgias

Kathy Focht

Nancy McCoy

Connie Mack

Lee Gray

Lynn Harris

Peggy Jacobs

Mike Hunter Not Pictured

Cheryl Sparks Not Pictured

Linda Lindberg

LouAnn Lyle

Jon McAlpin

Joni McClelland

Judy McClelland

Dennis McConnell

Martha Bangston

Doug Beedle Joan Core

Jim Courcier

Pam English

James Everett

Sandy Garey Jeanette Goettsch Connie Kerr Pat Knoke

## YR1969PG029

Class of 71

Ann Maxell Sec.

Sue Twigg

Mark Winther Not Pictured

Denny Darnold Treas.

Mr. Bennett

Jerry Williams

Jan Ward

Larry Marsh

Mary Perry

Marcia Ridenour

Tom Shipley

Keith Smith

Don Zellmer Susan Marsh

George Peterson

Elie Saikaly

Larry Simmons

Rick Sprague

Jon Zellmer Nancy Means

Jane Newlon

Kathy Quinn

Karla Rhamy

Janet Schrader

Kathy Scott

Susan Skahill

Jackie Smith

Jeanette Strain

Terry Thompson

## YR1969PG030

Class of 72

Brenda Bangston

Sheri Bangston Joel Bashaw

Greg Beckett

Mr. Feldman

Stuart Williams Pres.

Susie Lane V.-Pres.

Dale Bisbee

Dick Boggess

Mary Boggess

Marilyn Brannan

Donna Brees

Doris Brees

Danny Carlson

Mark Eno

Karen Gage

Steve Fitzwater

Beth Lyle

Glenn Matherly

Michelle Fengel

Debbie Gourley

Rita Gourley

**Bob Graham** 

Terri Gray

Galen Doll Not Pictured

Mark Parker Not Pictured

Lana Harris

Barbara Hiltabidel

Merri Jackson

LaDonna Jergenson

Henry Kasha

Ricky King

Judy Knoke

Laurie Lehmkuhl

Joyce Long

Karen Long

## YR1969PG031

Class of 72

Shelley Dunn Sec.

Tom Pollock Treas.

Mr. Ellison

David McAlpin

Tom Means

Jolene Moates

Julie Nelson

Bev Thompson Billy Newlon

Mike Northrup

Debra Perry

Fred Peterson

**Dwight Smith** 

Eldonna Steffen

Neil Peterson

Linda Phillis

**Ruth Poore** 

Larry Robinson

Nora Mack Not Pictured

Minnie McKinley Not Pictured

Marty Ross

Steve Russell

Marty Schafer

Ricky Shearer

Charles Shipley

**Rhonda Simmons** 

Roger Simpson

Mark Skahill

Doris Weichmann

Judy Wilhelm

Craig Winther

Peggy Wright

#### YR1969PG033

**ORGANIZATIONS** 

#### YR1969PG034

Student Council

FRONT: Wayne Chaney, Sponsor: John Baker, Steve Lyle, Dirk Dunn, Debbie Gunderman. BACK ROW: Sue Twigg, Bob Harper, Randy Nash, Stan Peterman, Sandy Roberts, Joyce Long, Stuart Williams.

The Student Council has been very active during the 68-69 school year. This year's project included sponsoring the homecoming parade and the Christmas dance. In the school schedule they included many fine assemblies, set up the student lounge, Dress Down Day, and Twirp Week. The 68-69 Student Council has done a fine job and we owe them many thanks.

OFFICERS: Wayne Chaney, Sponsor; John Baker, treasurer; Steve Lyle, president; Debbie Gunderman, secretary; Dirk Dunn, vice-president.

## YR1969PG035

Teen Haven

FRONT ROW: Tom Means, Laurie Lehmkuhl, Sherry Gillespie, Marse Greenfield. BACK ROW: Sponsor Mr. Bennett, Larry Simmons, Norman Weaver, Gary Rhamy, Pat Knoke.

FRONT ROW: Marvin Peterson, Wayne Bloom, Raymond McConnell. BACK ROW: Mrs. Bob Harris, Mrs. Calvin Haley, Mrs. David Williams, Mrs. Clarence Strain, Mrs. Wendell Pollock, Mrs. Bill Dunn.

Teen Haven council has been busy during the 68-69 school year. Money-raising projects such as selling raffle tickets for a radio and holding a "sloppy joe" supper were successful. Much thanks should be given to the adult board who helped redecorate the Teen Haven. The new look includes paneling the walls, a psychodelic mural on the small wall opposite the door, and a lowered cable ceiling.

## YR1969PG036

Band

VHS Pep Band added to school spirit this year with their pep songs and yelling. Without them, pep assemblies and football games would have been pretty dull.

Bluejay marching Band received a I rating at State Marching Band Contest this year.

Villisca High School Concert Band attended State Contest at Lomoni and also received a I rating. The Stage Band participated in Creston's Stage Band Contest and took first place trophy in Class B. The band's efforts for the entire year have been very successful.

**BLUEJAY MARCHING BAND** 

## YR1969PG037

#### CONCERT BAND

STAGE BAND—FRONT ROW: Ed Peterson, Neal Peterson, Betty Sunderman, Sherry Gillespie, Denise Gourley, Kathy Scott, and Kinney Dickey. SECOND ROW: Tom Pollock, Lyle Frey, Jack Muller, Joel Bashaw, Doug Honeyman, and Stanley Brownlee. BACK ROW: Marcia Johnson, Tom Shipley, Ken Anderson, Beth Lyle, and Martha Bangston.

BAND COUNCIL: Gaylin Sudik, Director; Roger Simpson, Freshman Rep., Doug Darnold, Drum Major; Ed Peterson, President; Charm Brown, Junior Rep., Pat Knoke, Sophomore Rep.; Brenda Johnson, Senior Rep.

#### YR1969PG038

Choir

The VHS choir this year consisted of 33 members. Their concerts included one at Christmas time, a spring concert and the Honors Concert. Highlight for the entire year was the Musical Review in November. CHORUS COUNCIL: Marcia Johnson, Howard Stephens, Roy Taylor, Ed Johnson, Sandy Roberts, Alice Griffith, Pat McConnell, Marse Greenfield, Sandy McClelland.

Sandy McClelland received the Outstanding Musician Award for 1969.

## YR1969PG039

Glee

The Girls Glee received a I at State Large Group Contest in Lamoni in the spring. The Mixed Chorus rated a II. Small Groups for the vocal department attended Small Group Contest at Corning with the girls' trio, Pat Anderson's piano solo, and Kathy Focht's solo receiving I's.

Mr. Feldman at Creston Little All-State.

GLEE COUNCIL: Ann Maxell, Sheryl Kerr, Nancy McCoy, Martha Bangston, Pat Anderson, Marse Greenfield, Chris Hausen.

#### YR1969PG040

Y- Teens

Freshman Initiation

Kiddie Party

## YR1969PG041

FIRST ROW: Pam English, Judy Knoke, Lorna Long, Shelley Dunn, Sandy McClelland. SECOND ROW: Charm Brown, Pat Knoke, Martha Bangston, Kathy Focht, Pat Bradley, THIRD ROW: Debbie Gunderman, Pam Bangston, Linda Perrin, Sponsor Miss Sharon O'Leary. FOURTH ROW: Pat Anderson, Pat McConnell, Mary Poore, Vicki Geyer.

Candidates Brenda Johnson, Pat McConnell, Miss Y-Teen Pam Bangston, Marse Greenfield. Twerp Dance

## YR1969PG042

Beta Phi Rho

Pep Club

Council

#### YR1969PG043

Hey, she needs a pacifier!!

Friendly persuasion.

Drama awards.

## YR1969PG044

## **Publications**

BACK ROW: Gale Fengel, Peg Peterson, Alice Griffith, Denise Gourley, Jerri Smith, Marcia Johnson, Sherry Gillespie, Deed Marckman, Jeanne Strain. FRONT ROW: Mr. Barker, Annual Staff sponsor, Chris Hausen, Merri Bangston, Kinney Dickey, Linda Perrin, Volcano editor, Melody Strickland Volcano editor, Pam Bangston, Annual Staff editor, Miss Tinkham, Volcano Staff sponsor.

Some of our hard-working members.

YR1969PG045 1969 Blue Jay

Volcano

## YR1969PG046

F.C.A.

BACK ROW: Neal Peterson, Denny Darnold, Lyle Frey, Larry Marsh, Randy Nash, Rod Getting. SECOND ROW: Tom Means, Dick Boggess, Stan Dunn, Jack Muller, Bill Boggess, sponsor; Mr. Comstock. FRONT ROW: Larry Robinson, Bob Graham, Gale Fengel, Jeff Griffin, Dirk Dunn, Randy Bloom.

FCA OFFICERS—FRONT ROW: Dirk Dunn, Vice-Pres.; Randy Bloom, treasurer. BACK ROW: Jeff Griffin, Pres.; Mr. Comstock, sponsor. NOT PICTURED: Norm Weaver, bulletin board manager.

## YR1969PG047

Science and Math

BACK ROW: Rick O'Rourke, Rick Sprague, George Paterson, Tom Marsh, Bob Harper, Kurt Ward, Tom Pollock, Roger Simpson, Doug Honeyman. Linda Lovig, Rita Gourley, Joan Core, Jim Rusk, Jack Muller, (historian). SECOND ROW: Marty Schafer, Greg Beckett, Neal Peterson, Felica Figgins, Joni McCelland, Jane Core, Jan Ward, Kathy Scott, Kathy Quinn, Martha Banston, Peg Jacobs, Wayne Chaney, (sponsor). FRONT ROW: Elie Saikaly, Danny Carlson, Karen Long, Elaine Boggess (sec.-treas.) Lauri Lehmkuhl, Mary Boggess, Beverly Thompson, Sharon Beedle, Ed Boggess, (president), Howard White, (vice-pres.).

BACK ROW: Doug Fast, (pres.), Randy Jackson, Lyle Frey, Ken Anderson, Joel Bashaw, FRONT ROW: Bill Scott, (sponsor), Stuart Williams, Tom Pollock, Roger Simpson, Cheryl Frey, Debbie Fast, (sec. treas.) John Means, (vice-pres.) NOT PICTURED Gale Fengel, NOT PICTURED.

## YR1969PG048

Spanish Club

FRONT ROW: Pat Anderson, Carol Geyer, Vicki Geyer, Judy McClelland, and Chris Hausen. BACK ROW: Carol Schremser, Ed Peterson, and Mr. Ellison.

Chris and Mr. and Mrs. Chaney at the annual Spanish Banquet.

OFFICERS: Pat Anderson, President; Vicki Geyer, Secretary; and Sandy Simmons, Treasurer.

## YR1969PG049

OFFICERS: Gloria Buckneberg, V.-Pres.; Pam Bangs-ton, Treas.; Sandy Simmons, Sec.; and Sheri Scanlan, Pres. Librarians at work. (?)

Librarians Club

#### YR1969PG050

FIRST ROW: Dale Spencer, Advisor; Marlin Olson, Vice-President; Cody Winther, President; Larry Raney, Secretary; Mike Jackson, Reporter. SECOND ROW: Steve Peterson, Parliamentarian; Dennis Rucker, Sentinel; Randy Jackson, Sentinel; Doug Fast, Treasurer; Dennis Smith, Reporter.

Dekalb awards went to Dennis McConnell, Doug Beedle, Steve Kernen and Michael Hunter. NOT PICTURED: Howard Stephens, Larry Raney, Randy Jackson, Mike Jackson, Cody Winther, and Lyle Frey.

Mike Skahill, Doug Fast, Larry Raney display exhibit at State Convention in Des Moines.

#### YR1969PG051

F.F.A.

Ron Bradley-1968 Villisca graduate was this years State Secretary. 1968-69 FTA members

#### YR1969PG052

Lettermans Club

FIRST ROW: Ricky Shearer, Ann Maxwell, Bunny Dukes, Janice Gray, Colleen Means, sec-treas., John Baker Pres., Dirk Dunn, vice-pres., Lyle Frey, Mr. Grasmick. SECOND ROW: Dave Stalder, Gary Rhamy, Ed Johnson, Gale Fengel, Larry Reney, Ed Peterson, Jeff Griffin, Bill Boggess, Doug Fast, Mr. Comstock. THIRD ROW: Nancy Means, Lynn Harris, Bev Erickson, Ed Boggess, Jim Rusk, Larry Marsh, Randy Bloom, Rod Getting, Jack Muller, Ken Anderson, FOURTH ROW: Cheryl Kerr, Pat Knoke, Susan Skahill, Jon McAlpin, Rick O'Rourke, Stan Dunn, Lynn Wolfe. FIFTH ROW: Jan Ward, Kathy Scott, Norma Wilson, Sheri Scanlon, Cheryl Frey, Gloria Buckneberg, Lois Means, Roger Kraft, Bill Wagner.

Sponsors—Mr. Comstock and Mr. Grasmick, Vice-President Dirk Dunn, Secretary-Treasurer Colleen Means, President John Baker.

#### YR1969PG053

Mr. Grasmick's secretaries—Cheryl Kerr and Betty Sunderman.

Office Secretaries

Mr. Spenser's secretaries—Jeannette Strain, Lois Means, Vicky Brown, and Nancy Means.

Superintendent's secretaries—Mrs. Grasmick, LuAnne Lyle, Deb Fast, Pat McConnell, Peg Wright, Nancy McCoy, Marce Greenfield, Sue Twigg, and Cheryl Kerr.

Principal's secretaries—Sandy Garey, Kathy Quinn, Pam English, Carol Sprague, LuAnne Lyle, Cheryl Frey, Gloria Buckneberg, Mrs. Greenfield, and Linda Means.

## YR1969PG054

Cheerleaders

Pam Bangston

Pat McConnell

Gloria Buckneberg

Betty Sunderman

Jeanne Strain

## YR1969PG055

Debbie Gunderman

Kinney Dickey

Marse Greenfield

JUNIOR VARSITY: Ann Maxell, Debby Fast, Kathy Focht, Jeanette Strain, Nancy Means.

## YR1969PG056

Hmmm . . . The whole place to myself.

What's this, Mr. Sudik?

What these students need is better posture!

I wonder if this will make it taste any better.

But I was thirsty!

Those two just don't appreciate good geometry.

#### YR1969PG057

**SPORTS** 

## YR1969PG058

"You can't put OUR boys down!" Football Season 1968 Active Seniors 1969 "Hit him back Larry!!"

## YR1969PG059

Randy Bloom Guard Ed Boggess Guard Gary Rhamy Tackle Jim Rusk End Ed Peterson Tackle Curtis Blank Quarterback Jeff Griffin End Steve Lyle Back John Baker Back

## YR1969PG060

VHS finished the 1968 Bluejay season with a record of four wins, two losses, and two ties. Unfortunately, four forfeited defeats reduced our record to one victory, six losses, and one tie.

Selected to all conference team were: "Offense", Tackles—Gary Rhamy and Ed Peterson; Fullback—Dirk Dunn. "Defense", Linebacker—Randy Bloom; End—Gary Rhamy; Tackle—Ed Peterson; Halfback—Jeff Griffin.

	SEASON RECORD	VHS	
	Орр.		
Corning	0	25	
East Union	7	27	
Bedford	13	13	
Mt. Ayr	0	13	
Lenos	7	7	
Greenfield	0	3	
Clarinda	53	6	
Avo Ha	34	0	

#### YR1969PG061

I thought YOU timed fourth place! Coaches And then did you hear the one about the . I hate to be anchorman. They're giving away free WHAT? This is our future coach?? 10-9-8-7-6-5-FORE

## YR1969PG062

Varsity

Coach Johnson, Martha Bangston, Lynn Harris, Bev Erickson, Lois Means, Colleen Means, Sheri Scanlon, Carol Schremser, Connie Kerr, Kathy Gourley, Karen Haley, Jeri Smith, Kathy Scott, Manager Linda Means.

Record-17-7

Third Place Tie in Conference

Jayette Invitational Championship

Third Place in Sectional Second Place in District Among Top 32 Teams in State

Jr. Varsity

TOP ROW: Beth Lyle, Laurie Lehmkuhl, Karen Long, Judy Wilhelm, Lana Harris, Coach Scott, Manager Marcia Johnson, Susan Skahill, Peggy Wright, Debbie Gourley, Teri Gray. BOTTOM ROW: Jan Gray, Jackie Smith, Nancy McCoy, Pat Knoke, Michelle Fengel, Susie Lane, Shelley Dunn, Brenda Bangston.

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#### YR1969PG063

Kathy Scott Sophomore Forward
Martha Bangston Sophomore Guard
Lois Means Senior Forward
Colleen Means Senior Forward
Sheri Scanlon Senior Guard
Bev Erickson Senior Guard
Karen Haley Sophomore Forward
Jeri Smith Junior Forward

#### YR1969PG064

Coach Grasmick, Bill Boggess, Jeff Griffen, Howard Stephens, Kenneth Anderson, Stan Peterman, Jim Reents, Gale Fengel, Stan Dunn, Gary Rhamy, Denny Fast, Dirk Dunn, Lynn Wolfe, Jack Muller (manager).

Boy's Basketball

The 1968-69 VHS Varsity Boys Basketball Team had one returning letterman, Gary Rhamy, and was joined by Denny Fast, who transferred to Villisca in time for most of the season.

This season's record was five wins and thirteen losses. High scorer for the year was Stan Dunn, with 252 total points.

By the end of the season ten more boys had lettered. They were, Stan Dunn, Dirk Dunn, Bill Boggess, Denny Fast, Stan Peterman, Kenny Anderson, Howard Stephens, Gale Fengel, Lynn Wolfe, and Jim Reents.

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## YR1969PG066

## Track

FRONT ROW: Coach Comstock, Steve Russell, Dick Boggess, Mark Parker, Jon McAlpin, Roger Kraft, Ed Boggess, Dwight Smith, Dave McAlpin, Neal Peterson, and Manager Greg Beckett. BACK ROW: Manager Galen Doll, Rick Shearer, Jim Reents, Gale Fengel, Mike Lowe, Stan Dunn, Jim Russell, Tom Pollock, Rick O'Rourke, Randy Bloom, and Coach Grasmick.

Rick O'Rourke—Two Mile State Cross Country Champion and State Two Mile Track Champion. Rick was undefeated in the two mile run this year.

Ken Anderson, Rick O'Rourke, Jim Reents, Rick McAlpin, and Coach Barker.

## YR1969PG067

Shearer, Jon

Gale Fengel-two mile relay team.

## YR1969PG068

Girls' Track and Softball

FRONT ROW: Martha Bangston, Kathy Scott, Peggy Wright, Jackie Smith, Karen Haley, Mary Boggess, Jan Ward. BACK ROW: Michelle Fengel, Lana Harris, Nancy Means, Susan Skahill, Sheri Scanlon, Colleen Means, Jeri Smith, Karen Long.

1969 Softball Team

Girls in action???

## YR1969PG069

Boys' and Girls' Golf Quit puttering around, Wolfe, and putt it in! Hey guys! Where'd my ball go? Four what??

## YR1969PG070

## Baseball

FRONT ROW: Jim Rusk, Gary Rhamy, Denny Fast, Dirk Dunn, Bill Boggess, Denny Darnold, Kenny Anderson. BACK ROW: Stan Dunn, Stan Peterman, Keith Smith, Jim Coucier, Curtis Blank, Lee Pat Gray, Jim Reents. Marty Shaffer, Neal Peterson, Bob Graham, Dwight Smith, Mark Eno, Stuart Williams, Dick Boggess, Mark Skahill.

## YR1969PG071

SOCIAL

## YR1969PG072

Miss Pat McConnell

Homecoming Queen

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## YR1969PG073

Jeanne Strain

Pam Bangston

Gloria Buckneberg

Lois Means

## YR1969PG074

Homecoming 68

Crown bearer and flower girl

VHS Band

Jeanne Strain, Lois Means

Cheerleaders

Queen Candidates

## YR1969PG075

Homecoming 68

Queen Pat McConnell, Gloria Buckneberg, Pam Bangston.

Football Boys

Senior Class Float

Queen Candidates

Junior Class Float

## YR1969PG076

FFA Sweetheart Lois Means

## YR1969PG077

Vicky Brown Gloria Buckneberg Linda Means Diana Marckmann

## YR1969PG078

Colleen Means Track Queen

#### YR1969PG080

Sue Peterson Band Queen

#### YR1969PG081

Pam Bangston, Senior Linda Lovig, Junior Sherry Gillespie, Junior Bev Erickson, Senior

## YR1969PG082

Magic Carpet Ride Prom 1969

## YR1969PG083

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## YR1969PG084

Awards

Miss O'Leary, Annual Dedication

Howard White, Sutphen Memorial Scholarship and Schoreder Scholarship

Thespian Awards

Outstanding Sportsmanship Awards, Randy Bloom and Kathy Gourley

Outstanding Bandsmen, Doug Darnold, Ed Peterson, and Doug Honeyman

## YR1969PG085

**Top Scholars** 

Ed Boggess, Sandy McClelland, Brenda Johnson, Mary Poore, Pat Anderson, Cheryl Frey, Colleen Means, Howard White.

James Rusk, Valedictorian

Ed Boggess, Salutatorian

## YR1969PG086

#### 1969 Graduation

## YR1969PG087

1969 Graduation

## YR1969PG088

Memories

Blue Jay Marching Band

Pat McConnell reigns in '69.

V.H.S. Students at work

Prom '69

Graduation exercises

## YR1969PG089

Memories

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Pat McConnell reigns in '69.

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This year's annual is finished as we come to the close of another school year.

The '69 Annual Staff would like to take this opportunity to thank the many people who

have helped to make the yearbook possible.

The merchants of Villisca, Nodaway, Red Oak, Shenandoah, and Clarinda who have bought advertisements in order to help finance our needs.

Mr. Baxter and the faculty who put up with our interrupting classes so that we could take pictures.

Mr. Lynn Baldwin, of Stern Studios, who supplied us with many fine pictures.

Mr. Paul Barker, our sponsor, who kept us going when we were growing weary.

And to everyone else who helped to make the 1968-69 edition of the BlueJay possible.

We hope this book has captured some true highlights of Your Year 1969.

Sincerely,

The BlueJay Staff

#### YR1970PG001

Introducing .. The 1970 Bluejay Villisca Community High School

Villisca, Iowa Volume XLV

#### YR1970PG002

#### Foreword

Man has trod farther from his primeval environment than any other species, in a relatively short period of time. This rapid development is basically the result of each succeeding generation handing down to its own all the accumulated knowledge and skill acquired bit by bit since the beginning. In this manner man has ventured from the shadows of his cave to the fringe of celestial space, and in this fashion man has opened the doors of the unknown and challenged present and future generations with man's greatest adventure. It was with this mind that Dr. Brian wrote, "Man's left hand is his dreamer hand; the right his doer hand. The future needs people who dream, it also needs people who do. But most of all it needs people who both dream and do. Education's obligation is to make the dreams real and deeds genuine."

## YR1970PG003

Dedication

He has given his time, patience, and understanding to every student in VHS. The interest and cooperation he has shared with students and their problems are credits to his profession.

In addition to serving as guidance counselor, he has also been class sponsor.

With sincere appreciation, we dedicate the 1970 Bluejay to Mr. Dwight Lewis.

## YR1970PG004

Administration

Mr. J. R. Henderson, Superintendent

Mr. Robert A. Baxter, Principal

SCHOOL BOARD—SEATED: Mr. Henderson, Pres. Tom Rusk, Sec. Roberta Dickey. STANDING: Willis Marvick, Gene Smith, Dean Sunderman, and Wendell Pollock.

## YR1970PG005

Faculty

MR. PAUL BARKER Business Law Bookkeeping Shorthand Secretarial Practice

MR. DAVE ELSE Molecular Biology Biology Head Football Coach Assistant Basketball Coach Track Coach

MR. WAYNE CHANEY Physical Science Senior Seminar Chemistry

MISS MARY BENNETT Spanish English 9 MR. ROBERT F ELDMAN Vocal Music

## YR1970PG006

MR. GARY FOWLER General Math Algebra II

MR. JAKE GRASMICK American Problems Athletic Director Boys' Basketball Coach

MR. LARRY HUMMEL Industrial Arts Drivers Education

MISS PAULA JENSEN Sociology Psychology American History

MR. DWIGHT LEWIS Guidance Counselor

#### YR1970PG007

MRS. RUTH MOORE English 11 and 12 Journalism

MISS LINDA LONN Art

MRS. JANICE LEWIS Typing

MR. BILL SCOTT Geometry Senior Math Algebra I Girls Basketball Coach

MRS. RUTH PAULSEN English 9 Librarian

#### YR1970PG008

MRS. SYLVIA SMITH Home Economics Family Living

MR. DALE SPENCER Vocational Agriculture

MRS. KIM SMITH Speech English 10

MRS. LEONA WERTMAN Physical Education

MR. GAYLIN SUDIK Band

#### YR1970PG009

You guys really shouldn't have—but I'm glad you did.

Hey Bill, I've got a cavity here.

I'm waiting.

Miss Jenson, Is this the real you?

What? People over 60 have their own lounge?

I don't mind celebrating ... as long as it's for me.

Busy Day! Busy Day! Busy Day!

## YR1970PG010

Personnel

COOKS: Mrs. Robert Brannan, Mrs. Glenn Doan, Mrs. Harry Weaver, Mrs. Clyde Stackhouse.

LORUSS GRASMICK Superintendent's Secretary

CAROL GREENFIELD Principal's Secretary

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Copelin, Lois Frazee, Carroll Kraft, Loretta Buntsma, Gladis Abbott, Jerry Cooper.

JANITORS: Jerry Cooper, Alvin Zellmer, Paul Northup, Marvin Harris.

## YR1970PG011

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## YR1970PG012

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DOUG FAST "He may lose his heart, but never his head." Class Officer: President 1,4; Student Council 1,4; FFA

1, 2,3,4, Treasurer 3, Vice-President 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2, 3,4; Math Club 2,3, 4, President 3; Science Club 4; Teen Haven Board 2.

STANLEY DUNN "Who, me?" Class Officer: Vice-President 4; Concert Band 1,2; Marching Band 1,2,3; Chorus Little All-State 2; Chorus 1,2; Boys Glee 1,2; Drama Club 3,4; Thespians 3,4; All-School Play 3; FCA 2,3,4, Vice-President 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3.

4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 1, 2,3,4, Vice-President 4; Math Club 2,3; Spanish Club 1.

PAT ANDERSON "Bright and happy, short and snappy." Class Officer: Vice-President 1, Treasurer 2, Secretary 4; Chorus Little All-State 2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 3, President 4; Drama Club 3,4, Secretary 4; Thespians 3,4; All-School Play 3; Musical Review 3,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4, Treasurer 2, President 3; Cheerleading 2; FFA Sweetheart 4; Homecoming Candidate 4.

DENNIS RUCKER "I can resist anything except temptation." Class Officer; Treasurer 4; Drama Club 3,4,
Treasurer 4; Thespian 3,4; All-School Play 3; FFA 1,2,3,4; Officer 3,4; Football 2; Math Club 2; Science Club 4.

#### YR1970PG013

KEN ANDERSON "Knowledge comes but wisdom lingers." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Little All-State 4; Cross Country 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Math Club 3; Science Club 4; Spanish Club 2.

TOM BALDWIN "Some people are strange but I take the cake."

MERRI BANGSTON "Late

hours are bad for one but nice for two." Chorus 1; Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 3; Musical Review 3,4; Teen Haven Board 1; Annual Staff 3; Volcano 3,4; Cheerleading 1,2; Spanish 1; Librarian's Club 3,4. SHARON BEEDLE "I'm a man-hater, but the Bible says love your enemies." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Little All-State 4; Chorus 1; Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 1; Drama Club 1,2,3; Musical Review 3; Science Club 3,4.

BILL BOGGESS "The word 'impossible' is not in my vocabulary." Concert Band 1,2; Marching 1,2,3; Chorus 1; FFA 1,2; FCA 2,3,4, Treasurer 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4, President 4; Science Club 3; Math Club 1, 2.

ELAINE BOGGESS "There's a little bit of mischief in every good girl." Concert Band 1,2, 3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Little All-State 4; Science Club 2,3,4, Secretary-Treasurer 3, Vice-President 4; Volcano Staff 4; Chorus 1; Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 4.

## YR1970PG014

CHARM BROWN "It matters not how long we live but how." Class Officer; Secretary 2; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Council 3; Band Little All-State 4; Chorus 1; Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 3,4; Drama Club 4; Science Club 4.

STAN BROWNLEE "Don't look at me. I didn't do it." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Drum Major 4; Stage Band 1,2,3, 4; Band Little All-State 4; Chorus 1; Boys Glee 1; Musical Review 3,4; FFA 1,2,3,4.

MARILYN CLARK "I make the most of all that comes, and the least of all that goes." Y-Teens 1,2,3.

RANDY CLARK "Tomorrow the world." Student Council 4; Vice-President 4; Chorus Little All-State 4; Chorus 1,2,4; President 4; Boys Glee 2; Musical Review 4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Reporter 4; Cross Country 2.

RUSSEL CURRIN "The less I learn, the less I have to remember." FFA 4; Janitor 2.

DONNIE DRESSER "Dat's okay!!" FFA 4.

## YR1970PG015

KINNEY DICKEY "Life's just one darned thing after another." Student Council 4; Secretary 4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; SWI Honor Band 3; Band Little All-State 4; Chorus 1; Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 2; Drama Club 1, 2,3,4; Musical Review 3,4; Letterman's Club 4; Science Club 3; Annual Staff 2,3,4; Editor 4; Volcano Staff 3; Band Queen Candidate 4; Track Queen Candidate 2,3;

Cheerleading 2,3,4.

BUNNY DUKES "With a diamond on her finger and lots of gladness in her heart." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2; Basketball 1: Letterman's Club 1.2.

DIRK DUNN "The truly great are often misunderstood." Class Officer 2,3; President 2,3; Student Council 2,3; Treasurer 2, Vice President 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Vice President 3; Math Club 2; Teen Haven Board 1; Spanish Club 1.

JINI FAST "A human song to the tune of a giggle." Transfer; Y-Teens 3,4; Cabinet 4; Drama Club 4. GALE FENGEL "Give me a push—my battery's dead." Chorus 1,2; Boys Glee 2; FCA 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1, 2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Volcano Staff 3; Spanish Club 1. LYLE FREY "I swing to the beat of a different drummer—myself." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Little All-State 4; Chorus 1; Boys Glee 1; All-School Play 3; Musical Review 3,4; FFA 1, 2,3,4; Reporter 4; FCA 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 3,4; Math Club 2,3.

#### YR1970PG016

KENNY GAGE "I've got a general idea; now what do I do with it?" FFA 1,2,3,4; Sentinel 4. ROD GETTING "Most is won when most is dead." Drama Club 3,4; FCA 3; Football 1,2,3; Track 1,2; Letterman's Club 3; Transfer.

SHERRY GILLESPIE "Her asset poise; her hobby boys." Concert Band 1,2,3, 4; Stage Band 1,2,3, 4; Marching Band 1, 2,3,4; Band Little All-State 4; Chorus 1,4; Girls Glee 1,4; Swing Choir 4; Chorus Little All-State 4; Y-Teens 1,2, 3,4; Drama Club 2, 3,4; Musical Review 3,4; Golf 4; Teen Haven Board 3; Secretary 3; Annual Staff 3; Volcano Staff 3,4; Band Queen Candidate 3.

VICKI GEYER "The days are too short for all the thoughts I want to think." Chorus 1; Girls Glee 1,2; Section Representative 2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 3; Secretary 3; Drama Club 1; Cheerleading 2; Spanish Club 2,3; Secretary 3.

DENISE GOURLEY "How many days until Friday night?" Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1; Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 1,2, 3; Musical Review 3,4; Annual Staff 3; Volcano Staff 3; Office Secretary 4; Spanish Club 1.

CONNIE GRAY "Without going, you get nowhere." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4.

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JANICE GRAY "If silence were golden, she'd go bankrupt." Chorus 2; Girls Glee 2,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2; Softball 3; Basketball 1,2,3, 4; Letterman's Club 1,2,3,4; Librarian's Club 4.

MIKE GRAY "If you never get into mischief, you miss a lot of fun." FFA 1; Football 1,2,3; Baseball 1. ALICE GRIFFITH

"I don't care how you spell my last name—I plan to change it anyway." Chorus Little All-State 4; Chorus 1,3, 4; Girls Glee 1,2,3, 4; File Clerk 3; Section Leader 4; Swing Choir 4; Y-Teens 1, 2,3,4; Cabinet 4; Drama Club 3,4; Thespians 3,4; Musical Review 3,4; Track 1,2; Basketball 1; Letterman's Club 2; Science Club 2; Teen Haven Board 2,4; Treasurer 2,4; Annual Staff 3,4; Volcano Staff 3,4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Office Secretary 4; Spanish Club 1.

DEBBIE GUNDERMAN "Dates are my favorite fruit." Class Officer: Vice-President 3; Student Council 3,4; Secretary 3; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; SWI Honor Band 3; Band Little All-State 4; Chorus 1; Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2, 3,4; Cabinet 3; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Clerk 4; Thespians 3,4; Musical Review 3; Letterman's Club 4; Band Queen Candidate 4; Track Queen Candidate 1; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Cheer-leading 1,2,3,4; Office Secretary 3,4; Spanish Club 1.

MARI GAY GUSTAFSON "She has a good time having a good time." Concert Band 1,2,3; Stage Band 2; Marching Band 1,2,3; Chorus 1, 2; Girls Glee 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 2; Annual Staff 3; Volcano Staff 3. CHRIS HAUSEN "It's whatcha do with whatcha got." Chorus Little All-State 3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; President 3; File Clerk 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 2,3; Musical Review 3,4; Letterman's Club 4; Annual Staff 3; Volcano Staff 3; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Cheerleading 2,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4; President

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RANDY JACKSON "One hour a day to study, one hour a day to eat, two hours to think how tired I am, and twenty hours to sleep." FFA 1,2,3,4; Sentinel 3; Secretary 4; Football 3; Math Club 1,2,3,4; Vice-President 4; Science Club 3,4; Spanish Club 1.

ED JOHNSON "The harder I try the gooder to be, the worser I get." Chorus Little All-State 3,4; Chorus 2,3,4; Section Leader 3; Boys Glee 2; Musical Review 3,4; Track 2; Letterman's Club 3,4.

MARCIA JOHNSON "A girl of cheerful yesterdays and confident tomorrows." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus Little All-State 3,4; Chorus 1, 2,3,4; Section Leader 3; Girls Glee 1,2, 3,4; Section Leader 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 4; Drama Club 1,2,3; Musical Review 3,4; Softball 2; Basketball 1,2; Basketball Manager 3,4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4; Swing Choir 4.

STEVE KERNEN "I LOVE school—closed!" Chorus 1,2; Boys Glee 2; FFA 1, 2,3,4.

SHERYL KERR "When I'm sad, I sing. When I'm glad, I sing. I love to sing." Chorus Little All-State 3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Officer 3; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Officer 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 4; All-School Play 3; Musical Review 3,4; Softball 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2; Letterman's Club 3; Office Secretary 3; Spanish Club 1,2; Swing Choir 4. ROGER KRAFT "If I had it to do over again, I still wouldn't work." Chorus 4; Boys Glee 4; Musical Review 4; FFA 1; FCA 2; Football 1, 2,3; Track 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 1,2,3,4.

#### YR1970PG019

ALICE LEWIS "To study or not to study—that is the question." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Librarian's Club 3,4. DANNY LINDBERG "Man was not made to hurry." Transfer; FFA 3,4; Football 3.

LORNA LONG "A bashful girl, but willing to learn." Chorus Little-AllState 4; Chorus 1,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Swing Choir 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 3,4; Musical Review 3,4; Science Club 4; Librarians's Club 2,3,4.
LINDA LOVIG "Win without boasting; lose without excuse." Class Officer: Secretary 3; Concert Band 1,2,3,4;
Marching 1,2,3,4; Council 1,4; President 4; Band Little All-State 4; Chorus 1; Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4;
Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Secretary 3; Science Club 3,4; Secretary-Treasurer 4; Band Queen Candidate 3, 4; FFA
Sweetheart Candidate 4.

MIKE LOWE "Life begins at 3:45." FFA 1,2; FCA 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Math Club 1,2,3,4.

JIM LUCAS "Beware the fury of a silent man." Chorus Little All-State 4; Chorus 1,2,4; Boys Glee 2; Musical Review 4; Cross Country 2.

## YR1970PG020

TOM MARSH "To insure peace of mind, always ignore the rules and regulations." FFA 3; FCA 2; Football 1,2; Math Club 1,2,3,4; Science Club 3; Spanish Club 1,2.

JOHN MEANS "He thinks too much. Such men are dangerous." FFA'1,2; Math Club 1,2,3,4; President 4. JACK MULLER "It is the man of mischief who keeps the world alive." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1, 2,3,4; SWI Honor Band 4; Band Little All-State 4; Drama Club 4; Thespians 4; All-School Play 3; Musical Review 3,4; FCA 3,4; Football 1,3,4; Track 1,2; Golf 3; Basketball Manager 2,3; Letterman's Club 3,4; Science Club 1,2,3, 4; Historian 3; President 4.

RANDY NASH "If fate means you to lose, give him a good fight anyway." Student Council 3; Chorus Little All-State 2; Chorus 1,2; Boys Glee 1,2; FFA 1,2,4; FCA 3,4; Football 3.

LARRY NORTHRUP "I want to be bashful, but the girls won't let me." Chorus 1,2; Boys Glee 1; Football 1,3; Track 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 2.

RICK O'ROURKE "He rattles on, just like his cars." Chorus 1,2; Boys Glee 1,2; FCA 2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 1,2,3,4; Science Club 3.

#### YR1970PG02

PEG PETERSON "Always laughing, never sad; sometimes ornery, never bad." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching

Band 1,2,3,4; Council 4; Band Little All-State 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Secretary-Treasurer 4; Girls Glee 1,2; Swing Choir 4; Chorus Little All-State 2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3, 4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; All School Play 3; Musical Review 3,4; Golf 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; Volcano Staff 3,4; Editor 4.

LARRY RANEY "I'd rather argue with a thousand men than with ONE woman." Class Officer Vice President 1; Chorus 1; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Secretary 2; FFA 1,2,3,4; Secretary 3; President 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Letterman's Club 3,4; Teen Haven Board 4; Annual Staff 2.

SANDY ROBERTS "Full of pep and nonsense too; does what she's not expected to." Class Officer: Secretary 1; Treasurer 3; Student Council 2,3; Chorus Little All-State 3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Secretary-Treasurer 3; Girls Glee 1,2,3, 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 4; Drama Club 3,4; Musical Review 3,4; Science Club 3,4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart 4.

JIM RUSSELL "I love work; I can sit and stare at it for hours." Chorus Little All-State 3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Boys Glee 2; Musical Review 3,4; FFA 1,2,3; Football 1,2, 3; Track 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 4; Volcano 4. CAROL SCHREMSER "Not by might, not by power, but by my spirit." Y-Teens 3,4; Thespians 4; Drama Club 4; All-School Play 3; Track 3; Basketball 3; Transfer.

CAROLE SHAVER "I'm not bashful, you just don't know me." Chorus 1,2; Girls Glee 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Librarian's Club 3,4; President

## YR1970PG022

MIKE SKAHILL "My wit is thine." Drama 2, 3,4; Thespians 4; All-School Play 3; FFA 1,2, 3,4; Football 2; Baseball 1: Basketball 1.4.

JERI SMITH "It's nice to be natural, if you're naturally nice." Chorus 1; Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Track 3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 3,4; Annual Staff 3; Volcano Staff 3,4; Office Secretary 2.

CAROL SPRAGUE "A student with one objective; it is not yet to be discovered." Student Council 1; Chorus 1; Girls 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama 1,2,3; All-School Play 3; Track 1; Basketball 1,2; Letterman's Club 2; Office Secretary 3; Librarian's Club 3.

HOWARD STEPHENS "Behold! I am here!" Chorus Little All-State 3; Chorus 3,4; Section Leader 3; Drama Club 2,3; All School Play 3; Musical Review 3,4; FFA 1,2,3,4; FCA 1,2,3; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2; Basketball 1,2,3; Letterman's Club 3,4; Math Club 1,2; Science Club 2,3.4.

JOYCE STRAND "A diamond is like a tourniquet. It shuts off my circulation." Girls Glee 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Musical Review 4; Librarian's Club 2,3,4.

## YR1970PG023

DIANA STUBBS "Lead her not into temptation—just show her the way." Girls Glee 2; Y-Teens 2,3,4; Librarian's Club 4

BETTY SUNDERMAN "What next—The Queen of England?" Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Council 2; SWI Band 3; Band Little All-State 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 2,3,4; Thespians 3,4; Musical Review 3,4; Letterman's Club 4; Office Secretary 3,4; Cheerleading 1,2,3,4; Head Cheerleader 3,4; Track Queen Candidate 3; Band Queen 4; Homecoming Queen 4.

ROY TAYLOR "Just an accident looking for a place to happen." Chorus little All-State 3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Vice-President 3; Boys Glee 2; Musical Review 3,4.

BILL WAGNER "Never put off until tomorrow what you can put off until the day after that." Concert 1,2; Marching Band 1,2; Football 3,4; Track 2; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Science Club 3,4; Spanish Club 1. NORM WEAVER "Where there's a will, there's a way, and when there's a way, I will." Student Council 4; President 4; Chorus Little All-State 2; Chorus 1,2; Vice-President 2; Boys Glee 1,2; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Vice-President 3; President 4; Thespians 3,4; All-School Play 2,3; Musical Review 3; FCA 2,3,4; Bulletin Chairman 2,3; Captain 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2; Letterman's Club 3,4; Teen Haven Board 3; Vice-President 3; Boys State.

#### YR1970PG024

TOM WHEELER "I came, I saw, I left." Football 3; Math Club 4.

STEVE WILLIAMSON (Transfer) "Confusion's MASTERPIECE." Volcano Staff 4.

NORMA WILSON "One who, when she has the choice of two evils, chooses both." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Softball 1,2,3; Letterman's Club 2,3,4.

#### YR1970PG025

UNDERCLASSMEN

#### YR1970PG026

Juniors 1971

Mr. Sudik Mr. Hummel

Martha Bangston Doug Beedle Susie Bowling Jane Core Joan Core Jim Courcier Denny Danielson Denny Darnold Gary Eifert Pam English James Everett Debbie Fast Felicia Figgins Kathy Focht Sandy Garey Jeanette Goettsch Lee Gray Karen Haley Lynn Harris Diane Henderson Michael Hunter Peggy Jacobs Connie Kerr Pat Knoke

#### YR1970PG027

Linda Lindberg Luanne Lyle Jon McAlpin Joni McClelland Judy McClelland Dennis McConnell Nancy McCoy Larry Marsh Susan Marsh Ann Maxell Mari Perry Stan Peterman Kathy Quinn Karla Rhamy Marcia Ridenour Elie Saikaly Janet Schrader Kathy Scott Tom Shipley Larry Simmons Susan Skahill Jackie Smith Keith Smith Cheryl Sparks Jeanette Strain Jan Ward Terry Thompson Jerry Williams

## YR1970PG028

CLASS OFFICERS: Keith Smith, President; Pat Knoke, Vice President; Karen Haley, Secretary; Ann Maxell, Treasurer.

**Junior Candids** 

What did you say the recipe for this punch was?

We don't care what you say Mr. Hummell, we're going to do it OUR way!

Believe it or not, these things make my hair nice and straight.

G-O-O-S-E! GooooOOSE!!

Don't look now but I think people are watching.

## YR1970PG029

Watch those pornographic pictures, Conni! I know I can! I know I can! I know I can. . . I think I can? Well .. I thought I could!

Knock it off, Kath! We know you're not that kind of girl.

Poof . You're a pile of ...!!

And you said he was intelligent?

Show us how, Lynn.

## YR1970PG030

SOPHOMORES 1972

Mr. Feldman Brenda Bangston Sheri Bangston Joel Bashaw Greg Beckett Mr. Fowler Dale Bisbee Dick Boggess Mary Boggess Marilyn Branan Danny Carlson Galen Doll Shelley Dunn Mark Eno Michele Fengel Steve Fitzwater Debbie Gourley Karen Gage Rita Gourley Bob Graham Terri Gray Lana Harris Barbara Hiltabidel Merrie Jackson LaDona Jergenson Henry Kasha Rickey King Judy Knoke Susan Lane Laurie Lehmkuhl

#### YR1970PG031

Joyce Long Karen Long Nora Mack David McAlpin Lou McKinley Jolene Moates
Julie Nelson Mike Northup Mark Parker Debbie Perry Fred Peterson Neal Peterson
Linda Phihis Tom Pollock Ruth Poore Larry Robinson Marty Ross Steve Russell
Marty Schafer Rickie Shearer Charles Shipley Rhonda Simmons Roger Simpson Mark Skahill
Dwight Smith Eldonna Steffen Beverly Thompson Doris Wiechman Judy Wihelm Stuart Williams
Sheryl Williamson Craig Winther Peggy Wright

#### YR1970PG032

Class Officers

"Quick! Give me the answer."

"Peace brother."

"Meet ya round the corner."

"This big???"

#### YR1970PG033

"I'd rather fight than switch!"

"It's got to be here some place."

"And this is just the first night!"

"One of these days I'll have to clean this out."

"Me again??"

"What do you mean we can't do it my way?"

#### YR1970PG034

#### FRESHMEN 1973

Mr. Scott Carl Anderson Phillip Anderson Bobby Blank Starr Brown Miss Jensen Gary Clark Debbie Cooper Kandi Delehant Alan Dicks Arnold Dicks Gary Dukes Hazel Eifert Skip Fitzwater Barbara Franson Allen Garey Mike Gourley Wendell Gourley Doug Gray Gene Gulick Sara Gustafson Diane Haley Elaine Hess Kenneth Jacobs Mike Jergenson Steve Johnson Jacque Kernen John Kernen Ed Kleindienst Carol Lewis

## YR1970PG035

Laureen Lovig Teresa McKinley Linda Marsh Dallas Maxwell Vicki Moates Jim Muller Kim O'Rourke Tammy O'Rourke Jim Peterson Mark Raney David Rhamy Marsha Roberts Jill Rucker Debbie Rupp Steve Scanlan Anne Schafer Karla Scott Clifford Shipley Dave Skahill Connie Smith Dennis Smith Jim Smith Kenny Sprague Gloria Stalder Donna Steward Jona Strand Robin Strand Byron Sunderman Chuck Sunderman Dorothy Thomas Bobby Watts Jeff Weaver Steve Wilson John Yeske

#### YR1970PG036

Class Officers

"That's where the good part starts!"

"Rush Hour!"

"Time Out!"

"Watch it there!"

## YR1970PG037

"1-2-3-Ugh!"

"Boy, that was a good one!"

"Look at those muscles!"

"Guess what? The teacher's gone!"

"Oh, no !!" P. E., again!"

"That's the way to tell him!"

"You aren't that shy, are you?"

#### YR1970PG039

**ORGANIZATIONS** 

## YR1970PG040

Student Council

Norm Weaver, Mark Eno, Elie Saikaly, Judy Knoke, Diane Haley, Doug Fast, Pat Knoke, Jim Peterson, Kinney Dickey, Randy Clark, Mrs. Kim Smith, sponsor. Debbie Gunderman, Not Pictured.

The Student Council this year has been under the able leadership of Norm Weaver and Randy Clark. Some of the accomplishments this year were a Student Forum, addition of coat racks for the students' use, revision of the dress code, and a Student Lounge for the seniors' use. The Student-Faculty Advisory Board is a group comprised of Student Council members and Miss Paula Jensen and Mr. Robert Feldman, Faculty members. Their job is to help the administration with decisions on the dress code.

OFFICERS: Pat Knoke, Treasurer; Randy Clark, Vice-President; Norm Weaver, President; Kinney Dickey, Secretary

**Advisory Board** 

## YR1970PG041

Teen Haven Council

TEEN HAVEN OFFICERS: Tom Shipley, President; Nancy McCoy, Vice-President; Barb Franson, Secretary; Alice Griffith, Treasurer. Other members are Larry Raney, Susie Lane, Neal Peterson, Chuck Sunderman.

MEMBERS OF THE ADULT BOARD: President, Raymond McConnell; Student Advisor, Gary Fowler; Delores

Haloy, Corrigo Williams, Not pictured are Dick Bockett Barb Bellock, Carolyn Harris, Konneth Kornen, Bob

Haley, Corrine Williams. Not pictured are Dick Beckett Barb Pollock, Carolyn Harris, Kenneth Kernen, Bob Watts.

During one of the serious meetings?!

## YR1970PG042

Volcano Staff

The Volcano staff worked hard this year to meet their deadlines and to have the school paper out by the first of every month.

Originality was one of the paper's chief assets this year.

## YR1970PG043

Annual Staff

The 69-70 Annual Staff consisted of four seniors, 3 juniors, 2 sophomores and one freshman, all working hard to meet this year's deadlines.

Working one night a week throughout the school year, the 1970 Bluejay was assembled. We've enjoyed working on it and hope you'll enjoy each and every page.

## YR1970PG044

## Y-Teens

CABINET—FRONT ROW: Pat Anderson, President; Martha Bangston, Vice-President; Miss Paula Jensen, Sponsor; Kathy Focht, Secretary; Pat Knoke, Treasurer. SECOND ROW: Jini Fast, Sandy Roberts, Alice Griffith,

Brenda Bangston, Lorna Long. THIRD ROW: Marcia Johnson, Ann Maxell, Peggy Jacobs, Kathy Scott, Debbie Fast, Susan Marsh. FOURTH ROW: Charm Brown, Judy Knoke, Laurie Lehmkuhl, Barb Franson, Linda Marsh.

## YR1970PG045

Y-Teen Activities Throughout the Year

#### YR1970PG046

1970 Miss Y-Teen

Miss Charm Brown was named Miss Y-Teen at the annual Twerp Dance. She was chosen for her outstanding work during her membership in Y-Teens. Other-candidates also showed outstanding work while in Y-Teens. CANDIDATES AND ESCORTS: Charm Brown, Jim Lucas, Marcia Johnson, Mike Lowe, Lorna Long, and Gaylin Goodvin.

#### YR1970PG047

FFA Sweetheart and Candidates

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#### YR1970PG048

OFFICERS—FRONT ROW: Lyle Frey, Reporter; Doug Fast, Vice President; Larry Raney, President; Randy Jackson, Secretary; Keith Smith, Treasurer. BACK ROW: Dale Spencer, Advisor; Randy Clark, Reporter; Tom Shipley, Sentinel; Dennis Rucker, Parliamentarian.

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#### YR1970PG049

Annual FFA Banquet

Program of Work Award

FFA honors outstanding citizens of the community.

## YR1970PG050

Spanish Club

FRONT: Chris Hausen, President; Tom Pollock, Vice-President; Stuart Williams, Treasurer; Laureen Lovig, Secretary.

Librarians Club

SEATED: Judy Knoke, Treasurer; Karla Rhamy, Secretary; Peg Wright, Vice-president; Carole Shaver, President; Mrs. Ruth Paulsen, Sponsor.

## YR1970PG051

Math Club

FRONT: John Means, President; Debbie Fast, Secretary; Randy Jackson, Vice-president. STANDING: Mr. Bill Scott, Sponsor.

Science Club

FRONT: Mr. Wayne Chaney, Sponsor; Linda Lovig, Secretary-Treasurer; Elaine Boggess, Vice-president; Elie Saikaly, Historian; Jack Muller, President.

## YR1970PG052

Drama Society

Thespians

## YR1970PG053

DRAMA COUNCIL—FRONT ROW: Pat Anderson, Dennis Rucker, Alice Griffith, Betty Sunderman. BACK ROW: Stan Dunn, Jack Muller, Norm Weaver, Kathy Focht, Carol Schremser, Conni Kerr, Pat Knoke. Thespian Initiation.

## YR1970PG054

Letterman's Club

OFFICERS—CENTER FRONT ROW: Bill Boggess, President; Martha Bangston, Secretary-Treasurer; Stan Dunn, Vice President

OFFICERS—CENTER: Stan Dunn, Vice-Captain; Norm Weaver, Captain.

#### YR1970PG055

Student Secretaries

ATHLETIC OFFICE: Betty Sunderman and Lynn Harris.

ADMINISTRATION: Sandy Garey, Kathy Quinn, Denise Gourley, Brenda Bangston, Luanne Lyle, Nancy McCoy, Susie Bowling, Ann Maxell, Debbie Fast.

FACULTY—SEATED: Luanne Lyle, Chris Hausen, Sheri Bangston, Peg Wright, Jeanette Strain. STANDING: Carol Sprague, Norma Wilson, Jeri Smith, Alice Griffith, Linda Lindberg, Lana Harris, Debbie Gunderman, Peg Peterson.

## YR1970PG056

Chorus

The VHS Chorus this year consisted of 52 members. Their performances included concerts at Christmas, spring and the Honors Concert, with the highlight of the year as the Musical Revue.

Girls Glee

The Girls Glee received a I at State Large Group Contest at Lewis Central in the spring. The Mixed Chorus received a II. Small Group Contest was held at Oakland with Susan Marsh and Kathy Focht's solos receiving I ratings.

## YR1970PG057

**Swing Choir** 

FOURTH ROW: Peg Peterson, Sheryl Kerr, Jim Russell, Randy Clark, Jim Lucus, Connie Kerr, Pat Knoke. THIRD ROW: Lorna Long, Joel Bashaw, Dallas Maxwell, Skip Fitzwater, David Skahill, Ann Maxell. SECOND ROW: Sherry Gillespie, Marcia Johnson, Doug Gray, Kenny Jacobs, Mark Skahill, Sandy Roberts, Alice Griffith. FIRST ROW: Janet Schrader, Susan Marsh, Kathy Focht, Pat Anderson, Chris Hausen, Not Pictured Roy Taylor, Ed Johnson. Tom Pollock.

Glee and Chorus Council.

Outstanding Vocal Musican, Pat Anderson.

## YR1970PG058

MUSICAL REVUE

## YR1970PG060

Band

Concert Band

Stage Band

Marching Band had a very successful year as they received I's at both Iowa and Nebraska state contest. They also got first in Class B at Mt. Ayr Band Day and Clarinda Band Day.

#### YR1970PG061

BAND COUNCIL: Linda Lovig, president; Peg Peterson, senior; Luanne Lyle, junior; Mr. Gaylin Sudik, director; Tom Pollock, sophomore; Gary Clark, freshman; and Stan Brownlee, drum major.

OUTSTANDING BANDSMEN: Jack Muller, Debbie Gunderman, Stan Brownlee.

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#### YR1970PG062

Band Queen

Betty Sunderman was chosen this year to represent the Bluejay Marching Band. Betty and four other girls were nominated on the basis of beauty, poise, and personality. The other candidates were Kinney Dickey, Debbie Gunderman, Linda Lovig, and Lynn Harris. Betty represented VHS well by being second runner up at Mt. Ayr Band Day and finally reigning as queen of the Clarinda Band Jamboree, having been chosen over representatives from several other schools.

March of Dimes Queen & King

Sandy Roberts and Doug Fast represented Villisca High School as queen and king candidates at the March of Dimes dance held in Red Oak January 24. Road blocks, cannisters, and blanket throws helped to bring in money.

#### YR1970PG063

SPORTS

## YR1970PG064

Football
HOWARD STEPHENS End
BILL WAGNER Tackle
MIKE LOWE Guard
DICK BOGGESS HB
LARRY MARSH Tackle
LYLE FREY Center
STAN DUNN End

## YR1970PG065

Football

GALE FENGEL HB JACK MULLER Tackle DOUG FAST Guard DIRK DUNN HB

NORM WEAVER QB LARRY RANEY Guard

BILL BOGGESS HB

## YR1970PG066

The football team of 1969 had to overcome the obstacle of many injuries during during the season which caused the team to have a poorer record than was anticipated. Their season record was two wins and seven losses. Their conference record was two wins and three losses which was fourth place standing.

The Jays who made All-Conference team this year were Doug Fast, Bill Wagner, Lyle Frey, Larry Raney, Bill

Boggess, and Stan Dunn. Dirk Dunn, Larry Marsh, and Norm Weaver were posted on Honorable Mention. On All-State Bill Wagner and Stan Dunn made Honorable Mention.

Games

	Villisca	Opponents	
Red Oak	20	21	
Corning	6	22	
East Union	28	2	
Bedford	33	6	
Mt. Ayr	6	26	
Lenox	6	22	
Greenfield	14	15	
Clarinda	0	42	
Avoha	0	52	

## YR1970PG068

Miss Betty Sunderman 1969 Homecoming Queen This page sponsored by NODAWAY ELEVATOR.

#### YR1970PG069

PAT ANDERSON KINNEY DICKEY DEBBIE GUNDERMAN SANDY ROBERTS

## YR1970PG070

HOMECOMING OCTOBER 3, 1969

## YR1970PG072

Varsity Cheerleaders Betty Sunderman Head Cheerleader

Ann Maxell Kathy Focht

Joyce Long

JR. VARSITY: Sheri Bangston, Jaque Kernen, Debbie Gourley, Lori Lovig, Susie Lane.

## YR1970PG073

Varsity Cheerleaders Debbie Gunderman Kinney Dickey Jeanette Strain

# Chris Hausen YR1970PG075

VARSITY—FRONT ROW: Martha Bangston, Lana Harris, Conni Kerr, Karen Haley, Jeri Smith, Kathy Scott. BACK ROW: Janice Gray, Shelley Dunn, Naricy McCoy, Pat Knoke, Michele Fengel, Jackie Smith, Marcia Johnson, Manager.

KATHY SCOTT, DISTRICT FREE THROW CHAMPION.

JUNIOR VARSITY—FRONT ROW: Peggy Wright, Carla Scott, Candi Delehant, Judy Wilhelm, Diane Haley, Brenda Bangston, Lauri Lehmkehl. BACK ROW: Connie Smith, Elaine Hess, Karen Long, Ann Schafer, Barb Franson,

## Terri Gray.

## YR1970PG077

VARSITY—FRONT ROW: Denny Darnold, Dennis McConnell, Keith Smith, Mark Eno, Bob Graham, and Mike Skahill. BACK ROW: Coach Dave Else, Bill Boggess, Dirk Dunn, Gale Fengel, Stan Peterman, Stan Dunn, Ken Anderson, and Coach Jake Grasmick.

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JR. VARSITY—FRONT ROW: Carl Anderson, Skip Fitzwater, Mike Gourley, John Kernen, Wendell Gourley, Steve Scanlan, Dave Rhamy, Dave Skahill, Mike Jergenson, Gary Dukes. BACK ROW: Dick Boggess, Dave McAlpin, Dwight Smith, Bob Graham, Mike Northup, Mark Eno, Stuart Williams, Neal Peterson, Steve Russell, Marty Schafer.

#### YR1970PG078

Track and Cross Country 1970 Track Squad Rick O'Rourke—Cross Country winning effort at Clarinda Good relay exchange for the Villisca Team

#### YR1970PG079

State distance Runners

1969 CROSS COUNTRY SQUAD: John Kernen, Mark Skahill, Jon McAlpin, Denney Darnold, Kenney Anderson, Rick Shearer, and State Champ, Rick O'Rourke.

State Relay Team

A Winning Relay Effort

LONG JUMPER: Bill Boggess

#### YR1970PG080

Miss Pat Anderson 1970 Track Queen

## YR1970PG081

TRACK QUEEN CANDIDATES: Barb Franson, freshman; Brenda Bangston, sophomore; Kathy Focht, junior; Pat Anderson, senior; Betty Sunderman, senior; Kinney Dickey, senior; Lynn Harris, junior.

Pat Anderson receives her crown from Rick O'Rourke.

1970 Track Queen, Miss Pat Anderson and her excort Rick O'Rourke. Flower girl was Miss Chele Brown and Crownbearer was Master David Sudik.

## YR1970PG082

Girls' Track

FRONT ROW: Jackie Smith, Kathy Scott, Karen Long, Jeri Smith. SECOND ROW: Coach Bill Scott, Karen Haley, Anne Schaffer, Pat Knoke, Michele Fengel, Diane Haley.

Girls' Softball

FRONT ROW: Karen Long, Karen Haley, Pat Knoke, Kathy Haley, Sally Schenck. SECOND ROW: Clach Else, Terri Gray, Diane Haley, Kathy Scott, Becky Grasshorn, Ruth Helton.

## YR1970PG083

Girls' and Boys' Golf

FRONT ROW: Michele Fengel, Laurie Lehmkuhl, Julie Nelson, Lynn Harris, Susie Lane. SECOND ROW: Linda Lovig, Lana Harris, Judy Knoke, Martha Bangston, Diane Henderson. THIRD ROW: Denise Gourley, Peg

Peterson, Sherry Gillespie, Pat Knoke.

FRONT ROW: Mark Eno, Tom Pollock, Roger Simpson, Danny Carlson. BACK ROW: Bob Watts, Marty Schaffer, Denny Darnold, Kenny Anderson, Philip Anderson. (Not Pictured, Coach Jake Grasmick.)

## YR1970PG084

#### Baseball

VARSITY—FRONT ROW: Mark Eno, Bob Graham, Bill Boggess, Dick Boggess, Stuart Williams, Neal Peterson, Marty Schafer. BACK ROW: Howard Stephens, Dirk Dunn, Ken Anderson, Lee Gray, Stan Dunn, Stan Peterman, Keith Smith, Denny Darnold.

JR. VARSITY—FRONT ROW: Mike Gourley, David Rhamy, Byron Sunderman, Gary Clark, Steve Fitzwater, Charles Shipley. BACK ROW: Bob Blank, Carl Anderson, David Skahill, John Kernen, Arnold Dicks, Mark Skahill.

## YR1970PG085

**MEMORIES** 

#### YR1970PG086

1970 Junior-Senior Banquet & Prom

WAITRESSES: Diane Haley, Barb Franson, Carol Lewis, Sara Gustafson, Laureen Lovig, Carla Scott.

#### VR1970PG087

WAITERS: Marty Schafer, Joel Bashaw, Mark Eno, Tom Pollock, Mark Parker, Danny Carlson.

#### YR1970PG088

Awards

Sutphen Scholarship (Science Award).

**Annual Dedication** 

Citizenship Award

Agriculture Awards

Home Ec. Award

Sportsmanship Awards.

Schroeder Scholarship

## YR1970PG089

**Top Scholars** 

Pat Anderson Elaine BoggessBill Boggess Charm Brown Randy Clark Dirk Dunn
Doug Fast Marcia Johnson Jack Muller Norm Weaver Sandy Roberts

SALUTATORIAN: Dirk Dunn VALEDICTORIAN: Bill Boggess

## YR1970PG090

Graduating Class of 1970

## YR1970PG092

Sr. Float

Those Were the Days . . .

A fun-filled hour with Mrs. Wertman.

Pep Assembly Athletic Banquet

Trick or Treat

A busy Econ. class.

"I love ya little cutie but my office is my duty."

"Boy! You should have seen the one I had out last night."

## YR1970PG093

**FAREWELL** 

#### YR1970PG094

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#### YR1971PG001

Presenting The 1971 Bluejay

#### YR1971PG002

#### Foreword

Man can not live on bread alone; it takes a few dollars to buy the beans to go with it. Education is the only means to this end. Without an education, only a very few become millionaires, and many become paupers. In our institution of greater knowledge, we only try to introduce you to the terms of citizenship and self-esteem. From here on, you must make the decision as to how far you will go. It will take sweat, intestinal fortitude, and more than anything else, time. With this in mind, I send you out into the world, seniors, hoping you will find content and happiness in everything you do. To you underclassmen, I hope you meet the challenge of the forthcoming with stableness, enthusiasm, and most of all, an open mind.

#### YR1971PG003

#### Dedication

He has been an excellent and inspiring leader in our school and community. Students admire most his ability to get along with others, an asset which he has illustrated in many ways. The interest and cooperation he has shared with students and their problems and activities is a credit to his profession.

He has spent many hours at his job as Band Director, and has also devoted much time and patience to the Class of '71, serving as Class Sponsor for four years. His faith and confidence in his students has been appreciated by all that know him.

With deepest respect and admiration, we proudly dedicate the 1971 Bluejay to Mr. Gaylin Sudik.

## YR1971PG004

## Administration

J. R. Henderson Superintendent

Robert Baxter Principal

School Board: BACK: Willis Marvick, Wendell Pollock, Ralph Phillip, Dean Sunderman. FRONT: J. R. Henderson, Gene Smith, Roberta Dickey.

## YR1971PG005

Personnel

Carol Greenfield Principal's Secretary

Loruss Grasmick Superintendent's Secretary

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JANITORS: Joe Shields, Paul Northup, Jerry Cooper, Marvin Harris.

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#### YR1971PG006

Faculty

Miss Pat Pickerell Spanish

English

Mr. Jake Grasmick American Problems World History Athletic Director Coach

Mr. George Hammer American History Sociology Psychology

Mr. Gary Fowler Math 1 Algebra 1 Coach

Mrs. Ruth Moore English 11 and 12 Journalism

## YR1971PG007

Mr. Gaylin Sudik Band

Mrs. Leona Wertman Physical Education

Mr. Carl Johnson Molecular Biology Coach

Mrs. Helen Sutphen Nurse

Mr. Paul Barker Business Law Bookkeeping Shorthand Secretarial Practice Coach

Mr. Mel Boehland Boys' Physical Education Coach

#### YR1971PG008

Mr. Robert Feldman Vocal Music

Mr. Larry Hummel Industrial Arts Drivers Education

Mrs. Sylvia Smith Home Economics Family Living

Mr. Bill Scott Geometry Senior Math Algebra I Coach

Mrs. Kim Smith Speech English 10

Miss Linda Lonn Art

#### YR1971PG009

Mr. Dale Spencer Vocational Agriculture

Mr. Wayne Chaney Physical Science Senior Seminar Chemistry

Mrs. Leona Wertman Physical Education

Mr. Dwight Lewis Guidance Counselor

Mrs. Janice Lewis Typing

Mrs. Zelma Paxson Librarian Business English II

## YR1971PG010

**Faculty Candids** 

It behooves me.

No! I said No! Sponsoring the annual eventually gets to you.

This paper has a hoe in it.

All right, today we're starting a unit on bowling. Only problem, we don't have any pins or balls.

Did someone say Kathy?

When you gotta, you just gotta.

#### YR1971PG011

Seniors

## YR1971PG012

Seniors

LARRY HUMMEL, Sponsor

#### **GAYLIN SUDIK, Sponsor**

TOM SHIPLEY "Follow my rules, it's more fun ... I like to play those Roman, Russian games. Class Officer: President 4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 2,3; Musical Revue 2,3; FFA 1,2,3,4, Sentinel 1,3, Vice-President 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 4; Teen Haven Board 3, President 3. DENNIS MC CONNELL " 'Til I came, the world was incomplete." Class Officer: Vice-President 4; Drama Club 3,4, Clerk 4; Musical Revue 3; FFA 1,2,3,4, Secretary 4; Football 4; Cross Country 3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 3.4: Office Secretary 4.

DEBBIE FAST "Play, and I'll play along. Study, and you'll study alone." Class Officer: Secretary 1,4; Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 3,4; Drama Club 1; Track 1; Math Club 2,3, Secretary-Treasurer 2,3; FFA Sweetheart 4; Cheerleading 2; Office Secretary 2,3,4; March of Dimes Queen 4.

DENNY DARNOLD "Beware the fury of the silent man." Class Officer: Treasurer 2,4; Chorus 1; FCA 1; Football 1,2; Track 1; Cross Country 3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Golf 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2, 3,4; Letterman's Club 3,4, President 4.

#### YR1971PG013

DEBBIE BALDWIN "Full of fun and mischief, too; Likes doing things she shouldn't do."

MARTHA BANGSTON "Boys disturb me not." Class Officer: Treasurer 1; Concert Band 1,2,3, 4; Stage Band 1,2; Marching Band 1,2,3; Chorus 1,2; Girls Glee 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 2, 3; Vice-President 3; Drama Club 1,2; Musical Revue 2; Track 1,2; Softball 1,2; Golf 3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Secretary-Treasurer 3; Science Club 2,3,4; Volcano Staff 4.

DOUG BEEDLE "Casanova's dead, Romeo's gone, but I'm still here." Concert Band 1,2,3; Marching Band 1,2,3; FFA 1,2,3; Science Club 1,2,3.

JAN BLANK "If silence were golden she'd be a millionaire." Y-Teens 1,2,3; Track 1,2; Softball 1,2; Letterman's Club 2.3: Science Club 1,2.3: Librarian's Club 2.3.

SUSIE BOWLING "She was cut out to be an angel, but mistakes do happen." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 2,4; Annual Staff 4; Office Secretary 1, 2,3; Librarian's Club 4; Vice-President 4.

JANE CORE "Like an angel's visit, short and sweet." Y-Teens 2,3,4; Science Club 2; Librarian's Club 2,3,4; Secretary 4.

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JOAN CORE "Happy is she who brings happiness to others." Y-Teens 2,3,4; Science Club 2,3,4; Office Secretary 4; Librarian's Club 2,3,4.

DENNY DANIELSON "Every dog has his day, but why do they come so often." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1; Boys Glee 1; FFA 1,2,3,4; Officer 4; Football 1,3,4; Letterman's Club 4; Science Club 3. PAM ENGLISH "A diamond on her finger and gladness in her heart." Concert Band 1,2,3; Marching Band 1,2,3; Y-Teens 1,2,3, 4; Cabinet 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Musical Revue 2,3; Golf 2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3; Volcano Staff 3,4; Editor 4; Office Secretary 1,2,3.

JAMES EVERETT "I'd feel for you . . . if you were a little closer!" Science Club 4; Teen Haven Board 4; Office Secretary 4; Man of Year 1,2,3,4.

FELICIA FIGGINS "A girl can say little but think much." Science Club 2,3,4; Office Secretary 4.

KATHY FOCHT "Busy, busy, busy, this girl is always BUSY, BUSY, BUSY!" Student Council 4; Vice-President 4; Concert Band 1, 2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 3,4; SWI Honor Band 3,4; Band Little All-State 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; President 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 2,3,4; Secretary 3; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Representative 1; Thespians 2,3,4; All-School Play 2; Musical Revue 2,3; Letterman's Club 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; Editor 4; Band Queen Candidate 4; Track Queen Candidate 3; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Cheerleading 2,3,4; Head Cheerleader 4; Office Secretary 4; Chorus Little All-State 2, 3,4; Swing Choir 3,4; All-State Chorus 4.

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SANDY GAREY "I don't run after men but I keep up a fairly brisk trot." Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Office Secretary 2,3; Librarian's Club 4.

JEANETTE GOETTSCH "There's a greal deal of mischief beneath this mild exterior." Chorus 3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 4; Musical Revue 2; Librarian's Club 4.

LEE GRAY "Thinking is an idle waste of time." Football 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3,4.

KAREN HALEY "You don't have to hang from a tree to be a nut." Class Officer: Vice-President 2; Secretary 3; Student Council 4; Secretary 4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Council 1,4; President 4; Chorus 2; Girls Glee 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 4; Drama Club 4; Musical Revue 2; Track 1,2,3; Softball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2, 3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Science Club 3; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Librarian's Club 2. LYNN HARRIS "If you're not with the one you love, love the one you're with." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching 1,2,3,4; Band Little All-State•4; Chorus 2; Girls Glee 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 1,2,4; Musical Revue 2; Track 1; Golf 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Science Club 3,4; Teen Haven Board 1; Band Queen 4; Band Queen Candidate 3,4; Track Queen Candidate 1,2,3; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Office Secretary 3,4.

DIANE HENDERSON "I did nothing in particular but I did it well." Y-Teens 3,4; Drama Club 3,4; Science Club 3,4; President.

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MICHAEL HUNTER "Pecker is his name and Lynn is his game." FFA 1,2,3,4, Reporter 4; Science Club 4. PEG JACOBS "How can we list all she's done? The least we can say is that she had fun." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 2: Science Club 1.2.3.4; Librarian's Club 4.

CONNI KERR "If you can't convince them, confuse them." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Chorus 3; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Swing Choir 3,4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Vice-President 3, President 4; Musical Review 2,3; Track 1; Softball 1; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 3,4; Science Club 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; Band Queen Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4.

PAT KNOKE "The world was cool until my lips came along!" Class Officer: Vice-President 3; Student Council 3,4, Treasurer 3, President 4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Council 2; SWI Honor Band 3,4; Creston Little All-State 4; Chorus 1, 2,3,4; Girl's Glee 1,2,3,4; Glee Officer, Vice-President 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 1,2,3,4; Y-Teen Officer, Treasurer 3; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Thespians 2,3,4; All-School Play 2; Musical Review 2,3; Track 1,3,4; Softball 1,2,3,4; Golf 2, 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Science Club 3,4; Teen Haven Board 2; Annual Staff 3,4, Editor 4.

LINDA LINDBERG "Men are all alike. Yes, men are all I like." Chorus 1; Girl's Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2; Basketball 1; Office Secretary 3,4; Spanish Club 3,4; Librarian's Club 4.

LUANNE LYLE "If at first you don't succeed ... try something sneaky." Concert Band 1,2, 3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Council 3; Creston Little All-State 4; Chorus 1; Girl's Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 4; Y-Teen Officer, Treasurer 4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Musical Review 2; Golf 2,4; Letterman's Club 3,4; Science Club 2,3,4; Volcano Staff 4; Homecoming Queen 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Cheerleading 4; 16 Office Secretary 2,3,4; Librarian's Club 4.

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JON MC ALPIN "I remember a mass of things but none too distinctly." FCA 3; Track 2,3; Cross Country 1,2,3,4. JONI MC CLELLAND "A quiet tongue shows a wise head." Girls Glee 1,2,3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 3; Musical Revue 2,3; Golf 3; Science Club 2,3,4.

JUDY MC CLELLAND "Good things come in small packages." Chorus 3; Girls Glee 1,2,3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 3; Musical Revue 2,3; Golf 3; Science Club 2,3,4; Volcano Staff 4; Spanish Club 2.

NANCY MC COY "A Sunday school face with Saturday night ideas." Class Officer: President 1; Student Council 1; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Council 4; Band Little All-State 4; Girl's Glee 1,2; Secretary 2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 4; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Musical Revue 2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Science Club 3,4; Secretary 4; Teen Haven Board 3; Vice-President 3; Band Queen Candidate 4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Office Secretary 2,3,4.

LARRY MARSH "He doesn't get to do all he wants to, but he knows how." Chorus 1; Drama Club 1,2,4; Council 2; FCA 1,2,3; Officer 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Vice-President 4; Winter Homecoming King 4.

SUSAN MARSH "The course of true love never did run smooth." Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Chorus Little All-State 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 3,4; President 4; Drama Club 4; Musical Revue 2,3; Science Club 2,3; Teen Haven Board 4; Volcano Staff 4; Editor 4; All-State Chorus 4.

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ANN MAXELL "Some say she's quiet but its only a rumor." Class Officer: Secretary 2; Treasurer 3; Chorus Little All-State 1,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; President 4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 3,4; Drama Club 1,2,4; Musical Revue 2,3; Softball 2; Basketball 1; Softball Manager 1; Letterman's Club 2, 3,4; Science Club 3; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Cheerleading 2,3,4; Office Secretary 3,4.

ERNEST MOESTCHEN "Once badly injured when a, train of thought ran through his mind."

STAN PETERMAN "All that I've learned I've forgotten, and all that I know, I've guessed." Class Officer: President 2; Student Council 1,2; Chorus 1; Boys Glee 1; Drama Club 1; FFA 1,4; Football 1,3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; March of Dimes King 4.

KATHY QUINN "Hustle, hustle!" Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 2; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Office Secretary 2,3; Librarian's Club 4.

KARLA RHAMY "Work doesn't bother me and I don't bother work." Chorus 1; Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Softball 1,2; Basketball 1; Librarian's Club 2,3,4; Secretary 3; President 4.

ELIE SAIKALY " ... but it's such a starry night." Student Council 3,4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 2,3,4; Secretary 4; Musical Revue 2,3; Football 2; Golf 2; Science Club 2,3,4; Officer 3; Volcano Staff 4.

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JANET SCHRADER "This is a beautiful day. I wonder how I can mess it up?" Concert Band 1, 2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Secretary 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 4; Secretary 4; Drama Club 3,4; Treasurer 4; Musical Revue 3; Track 1; Annual Staff 4.

KATHY SCOTT "A bashful girl but willing to learn." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Little All-State 4; Chorus 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 3; Drama Club 1,2; Musical Revue 2,3; Track 1,2,3,4; Softball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Secretary-Treasurer 4; Math Club 1; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Vice-President 4; Annual Staff 4; Volcano 4.

LARRY SIMMONS "There are two days I never worry about ... today and tomorrow." Student Council 1; Football 1,2; Teen Haven Board 2.

SUSAN SKAHILL "A woman's tongue is like a stairway to catastrophe?' Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Little All-State 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Track 2; Softball 1,2; Basketball 1, 2; Science Club 2,3; Librarian's Club 2,3,4; Treasurer 4.

JACKIE SMITH "Life begins at 3:45 P. M." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 3,4; Librarian's Club 4

KEITH SMITH "I really understand women, but I just pretend that I don't because it's a lot cheaper that way." Class Officer: President 3; FFA 1,2,3,4; Treasurer 3; President 4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 3,4; Teen Haven Board 2; Officer 2.

#### YR1971PG020

JEANETTE STRAIN "She will if she wants too." Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3; Drama Club 1,2; Letterman's Club 3; Cheerleading 2,3; Office Secretary 1,2,3.

TERRY THOMPSON "Chase me girls, I'm full of fun." FFA 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Volcano Staff 3. JERRY WILLIAMS "He seems quiet and shy, but never fear he gets by." Chorus 1,2,3; Boys Glee 1; Musical Revue 2.3.

#### YR1971PG021

Underclassmen

#### YR1971PG022

#### Juniors

Mr. Feldman, Sponsor

Mr. Fowler, Sponsor

Gary Cassidy, Pres. Danny Carlson, Vice-Pres. Shelley Dunn, Sec. Bobby Graham, Treas. Brenda Bangston Sheri Bangston Joel Bashaw Greg Beckett Dale Bisbee Mary Boggess Dick Boggess Marilyn Branan Donna Brees Galen Doll Mark Eno Michele Fengel Steve Fitzwater Karen Gage Debbie Gourley Rita Gourley Terri Gray Lana Harris Barbara Hiltabidel Merrie Jackson LaDona Jergenson Henry Kasha Ricky King Judy Knoke

#### YR1971PG023

Susan Lane Laurie Lehmkuhl Joyce Long Karen Long David McAlpin Julie Nelson Mike Northup Bruce Oblinger Mark Parker Fred Peterson Neal Peterson Linda Phillis Tom Pollock Ruth Poore Larry Robinson Steve Russell Marty Schafer Rick Shearer Charles Shipley Rhonda Simmons Mark Skahill Dwight Smith Tom Solt Eldonna Steffen Beverly Thompson Doris Wiechman Judy Wilhelm Stuart Williams Craig Winther Peg Wright

#### YR1971PG024

Sophomores

Mr. Barker, Sponsor Mr. Scott, Sponsor

Mark Raney, Pres. Barbara Franson, Vice-Pres. Carol Lewis, Sec. Gary Clark, Treas. Carl Anderson Phillip Anderson Bob Blank Starr Brown Carolyn Cassidy Candi Delehant Alan Dicks Arnold Dicks Gary Dukes Hazel Eifert Skip Fitzwater Allen Garey Mike Gourley Wendel Gourley Doug Gray Gene Gulick Sara Gustafson Diane Haley Elaine Hess Ken Jacobs Mike Jergenson Steve Johnson John Kernen Ed Kleindienst

#### VR1971PG025

Laureen Lovig Tresa McKinley Linda Marsh Dallas Maxwell Jim Muller Kim O'Rourke
Tammy O'Rourke Jim Peterson David Rhamy Marsha Roberts Jill Rucker Deborah Rupp
Steve Scanlon David Skahill Anne Schafer Carla Scott Clifford Shipley Connie Smith
Dennis Smith Jim Smith Kenny Sprague Vickie Sprague Gloria Stalder Donna Steward
Robin Strand Byron Sunderman Charles Sunderman Dorothy Thomas Jona Ward Bobby Watts
Jeff Weaver Steve Wilson John Yeske

### YR1971PG026

Freshmen

Mr. Hammer, Sponsor

Mr. Johnson, Sponsor

Bruce Williams, Pres. Brent Sunderman, Vice-Pres. Gail Stein, Sec. Ann Johnson, Treas.
John Beedle Paula Bourelle Patty Boyle Curtis Bradley Kenny Burton Diane Carlson
Bruce Cassidy Mike Chaney Donnie Clark Denise Copelin Dale Danielson Carol Doll
Mark Dotson Paul Dumler Reed English Tom Fengel Jesse Figgins Joy Findley
Sheila Fryer Gail Garey Jeannie Goettsch Jo Ellen Gourley Rebecca Grashorn Steve Greenfield

#### YR1971PG027

Eddie Grimit Kathy Haley Cheryl Hampel Nancy Harper Susan Hausen Susan Honeyman Bill Houser Jerry Jet Sidney Leichty Eddie Mack Lori Marckman George Marsh Conie Mauderly Debra Motsinger Deborah Oltmanns Phillip Peterson Ralph Phillips Sheryl Pond Mark Poston Randy Raney Denise Rhamy Sharon Rupp Carol Rusk Fred Scholey Kathy Schuler Kathy Scott Lynn Shearer Kathy Jo Shields Tim Solt Greg Taylor Nick Taylor Debra Winther Leslie Thompson Mike Bowling

#### YR1971PG028

Underclassmen Candids
Hey—what's going on here?
Too much to drink AGAIN?
Look what I did!
Surprise!!!
Chug it, Deb!!!
Do it on your own time!

### YR1971PG029

All-Year-Round

#### YR1971PG030

Student Council And Advisory Board

ADVISORY BOARD, FACULTY ADVISORS: Mrs. Kim Smith, Mr. Wayne Chaney. STANDING, Left to Right: Larry Marsh, Pat Knoke, Kathy Focht. SITTING, Left to Right: Lauri Lehmkuhl, Skip Fitzwater, Connie Mauderly. STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS: Karen Haley, secretary; Kathy Focht, vice-president; Tom Shipley, treasurer; Pat Knoke, president.

STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS: BACK ROW: Judy Knoke, Karen Haley, Kathy Focht, Tom Shipley, Debbie Gourley, Pat Knoke, Diane Haley, Elie Saikaly, Carol Rusk, Sponsor: Mr. Dwight Lewis. FRONT ROW: Bruce Williams, Mark Raney, Danny Carlson.

### YR1971PG031

Science Clubs

SENIOR SCIENCE CLUB, Sponsor: Mr. Wayne Chaney; Diane Henderson, president; Kathy Scott, vice-president; Nancy McCoy, secretary; Danny Carlson, treasurer.

JUNIOR SCIENCE CLUB, Sponsor: Mr. Carl Johnson; Gary Clark, president; Lori Lovig, vice-president; Carol Rusk, secretary; Chuck Sunderman, treasurer.

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### YR1971PG032

Librarians Club

Officers: Karla Rhamy, President; Susie Bowling, Vice-President; Jane Core, Secretary; Susan Skahill, Treasurer; Mrs. Paxson, Sponsor.

Spanish Club

Officers: Jim Peterson, President; Skip Fitzwater, Vice-President; Shelia Fryer, Secretary; Ann Schafer, Treasurer; Miss Pickerell, Sponsor.

## YR1971PG033

Letterman's Club

Officers: Denny Darnold, President; Larry Marsh, Vice-President; Kathy Scott, Secretary-Treasurer; Mr.

Grasmick, Sponsor.

Fellowship of Christian Athletes

Officers: Bob Graham, President; Danny Carlson, Vice-President; Neal Peterson, Secretary (not pictured); Joel Bashaw, Treasurer (not pictured) Mr. Boehland, Sponsor.

#### YR1971PG034

Y-Teens

Cabinet—FRONT ROW: Miss Pat Pickerell, Sponsor; Sue Marsh, President. SECOND ROW: Laurie Lehmkuhl, Vice-President; Janet Schrader, Secretary; Luanne Lyle, Treasurer. THIRD ROW: Linda Marsh, Pam English, Deb Fast, Nancy McCoy. FOURTH ROW: Kathy Focht, Gail Stein, Susan Honeyman, Karen Haley, Ann Maxell, Karen Long. FIFTH ROW: Pat Knoke, Merrie Jackson, Brenda Bangston, Carol Lewis, Barb Franson, Shelley Dunn, Judy Knoke.

#### YR1971PG035

Y-Teen Activities

### YR1971PG036

FFA

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Mr. Dale Spencer, sponsor; Mark Skahill, treasurer; Dennis McConnell, secretary; Keith Smith, president; Tom Shipley, vice-president.

1970-71 FFA Members

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#### YR1971PG037

FFA sponsors Donkey Basketball Game Agricultural Scholarship—Tom Shipley Honored Guests—Kenneth Gridley, Walter Frey FFA Banquet

### YR1971PG038

Villisca Volcano

VILLISCA VOLCANO STAFF

Editors Susan Marsh, Pam English

Feature Editor Lana Harris

Copy Editors Martha Bangston, Shelley Dunn

Art Editor Mark Parker
Sports Editor Stuart Williams
Adviser Mrs. Ruth Moore

Each student on the Volcano Staff strived to do his part to produce the school paper.

The staff did a fabulous job this year in meeting their deadlines and having the paper in the students' hands at the first of every month.

#### YR1971PG039

Math Club

Teen Haven Council

# YR1971PG040

Drama

LEFT TO RIGHT: Mrs. Kim Smith, sponsor; Conni Kerr, president; Joyce Long, vice-president; Elie Saikaly, secre-

tary; Janet Schrader, treasurer; Dennis McConnell, clerk. Drama Council

#### YR1971PG041

Strum, strum, strum!!

That's what I call aggressiveness!

Outstanding Actress and Actor: LuAnne Lyle and Stan Peterman.

A hat to fit the head.

What's one more notch?

Drama club votes at meeting.

#### YR1971PG042

Choir

Girls Glee

Boys Glee

#### YR1971PG043

Swing Choir

Glee and Chorus Council

Outstanding Vocal Musicians—Sue Marsh and Kathy Focht

#### YR1971PG044

Band

Marching Band

Concert Band

Stage Band

### YR1971PG045

BAND COUNCIL: Steve Johnson, Drum Major; Nancy McCoy, Senior; Karen Haley, President; Carol Lewis, Sophomore; Ann Johnson, Freshman; Tom Pollock, Junior.

OUTSTANDING BANDSMEN: Karen Haley, Kathy Scott, Kathy Focht, Pat Knoke.

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### YR1971PG046

**Student Secretaries** 

Athletic Secretaries: Lynn Harris, Shelley Dunn, Brenda Bangston. Athletic Director: Jake Grasmick.

Superintendent and Principal Offices: Shelley Dunn, Barb Franson, Joan Core, Julie Nelson, Brenda Bangston, Gloria Stalder, Debbie Rupp, Ann Maxell, Judy Wilhelm, Nancy McCoy, Judy Knoke,

Faculty: FRONT ROW: Peg Wight, Lana Harris. BACK ROW: Debbie Fast, Eldonna Steffens, Julie Nelson, Kathy Focht, Lynn Harris, Lou Ann Lyle, Susan Marsh.

#### YR1971PG047

Fall

# YR1971PG048

### Cross Country

FRONT ROW: Steve Russell, John Kernen, Mark Skahill. STANDING: David Skahill, Jon McA1pin, Rick Shearer, and Mike Northup.

The 1970 Cross Country team enjoyed their best season since the sport originated at Villisca five years ago.

Although Rick O'Rourke, our state champion for the past three years graduated, Mark Skahill picked up where Rick left off by winning both the State Mile Team Race and the State Cross Country Run. The season started on a high note as the Jays captured the first place trophy at the Abraham Lincoln Invitational meet. The team tied for first at Clarinda. They finished second at the Red Oak, Harlan, and Urbandale invitationals. A third place team finish resulted at the State Mile Team Race where they ran without the services of Rick Shearer. The Jays went undefeated in dual competition and got nosed out of first place in the State Meet at Marshalltown. With only one graduating Senior, the Blue Jay Harriers are looking forward to a more successful season next year.

#### YR1971PG049

Football

FRONT ROW, Left to Right: Fred Peterson, Bobby Graham, Danny Carlson, Joel Bashaw, Dick Boggess, Mark Eno, Denny Danielson, Tom Shipley, Marty Schafer, Larry Marsh, Coach Boehland. SECOND ROW: Mark Parker, Tom Pollock, Wendell Gourley, Jim Peterson, Doug Gray, Ken Jacobs, Steve Scanlon, Jim Muller, Mark Raney, Dave Rhamey, Mr. Johnson. THIRD ROW: Steve Greenfield, Lynn Shearer, Mike Jergenson, Byron Sunderman, Tom Solt, Mark Posten, Tim Solt, Ralph Phillips, Gary Dukes, Gary Cassidy, Mr. Fowler. FOURTH ROW: George Marsh, Bill Houser, Gail Gary, Arnold Dicks, Stuart Williams, Brent Sunderman, Curtis Bradley, Bruce Williams, Greg Taylor, Donnie Clark, Dale Danielson, Mr. Grasmick

The 1970 Bluejay football team will be remembered by the nickname, "Never say die!" This team had many opportunities to quit. They could have quit before the season even started, with only two lettermen returning, but they didn't. They could have quit after they lost a couple of close games with tougher teams coming, but they didn't. They could have quit after they were behind in the last game, but they didn't. Instead they came back and scored the second half. In their hearts and ours they are indeed a team of champions!

The season was high lighted by having Co-captain Larry Marsh named to the first team all-conference on

Danny both offense and defense, and Co-captain Mark Eno named second team offense. Danny Carlson and Tom Solt were named honorable mention, all-conference. Larry Marsh was also named honorable mention. All-State.

#### YR1971PG050

Dennis McConnell

Tom Shipley

Jim Muller

Mark Eno

**Danny Carlson** 

Larry Marsh

### YR1971PG051

**Dennis Danielson** 

Tom Solt

Dick Boggess Mark Parker

Gary Cassidy

Stuart Williams

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Homecoming 1970

### YR1971PG054

Miss Lou Ann Lyle

### 1970 Homecoming Queen

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#### YR1971PG055

KATHY FOCHT

LYNN HARRIS

NANCY MC COY

ANN MAXELL

#### YR1971PG056

Miss Lynn Harris

1970 Band Queen

#### YR1971PG057

CONNI KERR

KATHY FOCHT

NANCY MC COY

PAT KNOKE

### YR1971PG058

Cheerleaders

Luanne Lyle Senior

Laureen Lovig Sophomore

Kathy Focht Senior Head Cheerleader

# YR1971PG059

Joyce Long Junior

Brenda Bangston Junior

Ann Maxell Senior

JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS: Gloria Stalder, Ann Johnson, Debbie Motsinger, Carol Lewis.

### YR1971PG060

Annual Staff at Work

#### YR1971PG061

Winter

### YR1971PG062

Antonio

Antonio Carlos Prado Pinto, of Sao Paulo, Brazil, was the first foreign exchange student to come to VHS. He arrived in Villisca in December and stayed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gray for three months. Antonio, whose nickname is Kiko, was a sophomore at Villisca high school. At home in Brazil, he was one of 2,000 enrolled at Collegio Sao Luis, an all boys' school. Portuguese is the principal language spoken. He is a member of the International Fellowship Club. Through this organization and because of his good grades, he was able to come to this country. One hundred and sixty other students came from Brazil and are staying in homes all over the United States.

One of Kiko's greatest experiences was seeing snow for the first time. "I had never seen snow in my life," he exclaimed. "It seems so unreal. I wish I could take some back to Brazil to show my friends." He expressed the feeling that "the people in Villisca are too kind to me." "They are spoiling me."

Antonio returned to Brazil in March. His stay in Villisca was a great learning experience for all of us. His presence in our school was enjoyed very much and he will always be remembered by his many friends and VHS.

#### YR1971PG063

Our Loss Is Another's Gain

We would like to pay a special tribute to Janice Lewis, Jake Grasmick, Bob Feldman, and George Hammer. As of May 25,1971, these teachers have resigned from our high school and their presence will be greatly missed. We will continue to have fond memories of these teachers and wish them the best of luck and happiness in their new endeavors. In addition, we hope that this book will help them recall some of their teaching experiences at Villisca.

From their many friends, we extend this invitation to them to visit our school and community at any time. The doors are open and their presence will always be appreciated.

Mr. Feldman: Bob came to Villisca in 1968 where he took over the duties of High School and Middle School vocal music.

Mrs. Lewis: Janice became a part-time teacher in 1964 teaching beginning typing.

Mr. Grasmick: Jake came to Villisca in 1964 teaching social studies and performing the duties of Athletic Director. He was head boys basketball and baseball coach and assisted in several other sports.

Mr. Hammer: George came to Villisca in 1970 teaching social studies and helping with Middle School coaching.

### YR1971PG064

Girls Basketball

VARSITY: BACK ROW, Left to Right: Judy Knoke, Shelley Dunn, Susie Lane, Judy Wilhelm, Lana Harris, Michele Fengel, Laurie Lehmkuhl, Karen Long, Peg Wright, Terrie Gray, Merrie Jackson. FRONT ROW: Martha Bangston, Karen Haley, Nancy McCoy, Pat Knoke, Conni Kerr, Jackie Smith, Kathy Scott.

JR. VARSITY: BACK ROW, Left to Right: Susie Hausen, Denise Rhamy, Kathy Haley, Carol Rusk, Susie Honeyman, Nancy Harper, Kathy Shields, Chris Winther, Becky Grashom. FRONT ROW, Left to Right: Barb Franson, Carla Scott, Kandi Delahant, Anne Schafer, Diane Haley, Carolyn Cassidy.

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FFA Sweetheart Lou Ann Lyle Conni Kerr Karen Haley Debbie Fast Nancy McCoy

# YR1971PG069

### Mr. & Miss V.H.S.

Shelley Dunn and Larry Marsh were crowned King and Queen of Winter Homecoming at the dance held in the Teen Haven, January 9, 1971. Most of the festivities of the week had to be cancelled because of a snowstorm. March of Dimes Queen & King

Debby Fast and Stan Peterman were Villisca's 1971 March of Dimes King and Queen. Money for this organization was brought in by roadblocks and blanket throws.

### YR1971PG071

Spring

### YR1971PG072

Girls and Boys Track

### YR1971PG074

Miss Shelley Dunn 1971 Track Queen

### YR1971PG075

TRACK QUEEN CANDIDATES: Lynn Harris, senior; Kathy Focht, senior; Brenda Bangston, junior; Shelley Dunn, junior; Barb Franson, sophomore; Lori Lovig, sophomore; Ann Johnson, freshman.

1971 Track Queen, Miss Shelley Dunn and her escort Mark Skahill. Miss Barbie Carmichael was flower girl and Master Leland Shipley was crownbearer.

Shelley receives her bouquet of roses from Mark Skahill.

#### YR1971PG076

Girls' Golf

Boys' Golf

### YR1971PG077

Girls' Softball

Varsity Baseball

Jr. Varsity Baseball

# YR1971PG078

It Was a Very Good Year

# YR1971PG079

Reflections, what a precious word On strands of living gold We gather our treasured memories, To cherish and to hold

# YR1971PG080

Class of "71" On Stage

# YR1971PG081

An Evening inswing

#### YR1971PG082

Love Story

## YR1971PG083

Love Story

YR1971PG084

Awards

Sutphen Scholarship

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Villisca Community School Departmental Scholarship

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### YR1971PG085

Joni McClelland

Judy McClelland

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Karen Haley

Ann Maxell

Kathy Focht

Kathy Scott

Pat Knoke

VALEDICTORIAN: Judy McClelland SALUTATORIAN: Joni McClelland

### YR1971PG086

Graduation

May 18, 1971

# YR1971PG088

**Golden Moments** 

HOMECOMING

BASKETBALL BONFIRE

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**FOOTBALL** 

**SENIOR LOUNGE** 

### YR1971PG089

LADIES OF THE MOP

SPEECH CLASS

AWARDS NIGHT

PROM

TRACK

GRADUATION

#### YR1971PG091

Memory is like a mirror, like a magic glass, bringing back reflections as our recollections pass, o'er the surface of our thoughts, like shadows on a stream: images intangibly, the outlines of a dream.

Some things fade out of our lives and leave no trace behind, no vivid pictures photographed upon the heart and mind ... but love illumines and makes bright the faces that we see, smiling at us from the mirror of memory.

"Patience Strong

Farewell

#### YR1971PG092

May, 1971

Dear VHS:

After a year of hard work, laughter, headaches, and fun, the 1971 BLUEJAY is finally finished. We admit that it's been quite a bit of work, but we hope our efforts will help you remember this year forever.

We wish to thank the many people who helped us produce the yearbook this year:

The merchants of Villisca, Corning, Clarinda, Red Oak, and Nodaway who bought advertising to help meet our financial needs;

Mr. Baxter and the faculty who let us interrupt classes to take the pictures needed for the Annual;

Mr. Lynn Baldwin of Stern Studios who managed to somehow survive the confusion of the past year;

Mr. Barker, our sponsor, who did all the things that the staff was too lazy to do and also kept us going;

And to everyone else who made the 1971 BLUEJAY possible.

We hope this annual will help preserve the joys and heartaches of high school for the seniors and serve as a reminder to underclassmen of the memories yet to build. If the BLUEJAY will serve to bridge the past and bring to mind the memories of the year just gone, it has served its purpose.

Sincerely,

THE BLUEJAY STAFF

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### YR1972PG002

Dedication

He has been an outstanding and patient leader of our school. He has devoted many hours of his time, not only in the class room, but in the community, being an excellent leader and citizen. He has also been a willing and hard working sponsor of the Junior Class, Annual Staff, and has led his cross-country team to many victories. The effort, co-operation and interest he has shown toward students and toward his class room activities have proven to be valuable assets which he uses to perfection.

With deepest respect and admiration we proudly dedicate the 1972 Bluejay Annual to Mr. Paul Barker.

# YR1972PG003

Foreword

Excellency should be a goal of each student of VHS. It takes a great deal of effort, hard work, pride, initiative and sincere desire to achieve. Each responsibility offers an opportunity to excel and work toward the improvement and success of the involvement. No job should be too small or too big to undertake. Each student at VHS will find his place in society. I challenge each one to aspire to be the best in his field and to feel that his vocational choice is important and worth doing well.

### YR1972PG004

To the VHS Students:

For a long year, we have worked to get the 1972 Bluejay Annual completed. You would never be reading this book right now, if it was not for many, many people. It is impossible to name all of them, so we just say, a very special Thank You to everyone who made it possible to have this annual.

There are a few people we would like to give a special thanks. To Mr. Barker, our sponsor, we thank you for your long hours in the darkroom as well as coming up with ideas on how to put the pages together. To Mr. Baldwin of Stern Studio, we thank you for all the pictures we were too chicken to take ourselves.

In years to come, we hope the 1972 Bluejay Annual will be used as a memory book, a history book, and a record of today's ways of life. We also hope you can look at this book now and remember all the great times that have happened during this past school year. We will be satisfied if this annual brings you as many laughs and joys as it gave us when making it.

The Annual Staff

Editor Starr Brown SENIORS: Bob Graham, Merrie Jackson, Judy Knoke,
Layout Editor Brenda Bangston JUNIORS: Gary Clark, Cliff Shipley.

Typing Editor Peggy Wright SOPHOMORES: Ralph Phillips, Carol Rusk, Gail Stein.
Business Manager Carol Lewis FRESHMEN: Jeanne Bashaw, Lauri Bergren.

Photography Editor Steve Johnson Sponsor Mr. Paul Barker

#### YR1972PG005

Fall

# YR1972PG006

This Was the Year

"We're the Champs"! was the cry of the 1971 Cross Country team as they captured the State Mile Team Race championship.

Yes, this was the year of many firsts for the Cross Country team. It was the team's first state championship and their first Invitational Cross Country Meet. The Villisca Harriers were first at the State Mile Team Race at Grinnell, the Villisca Invitational, the Adel Invitational, and finished in a tie for first at Urbandale. The team finished second at Red Oak's Invitational, the Clarinda Invitational, and the State Cross Country Run. They were third in their first meet of the season at the Abraham Lincoln Invitational. In dual competition, the Jays had 2 wins, 2 losses, and 1 tie while competing among the best competition in southwest lowa.

 $Corning, another Tall \ Corn \ Conference \ team, \ won \ their \ class \ in \ the \ State \ Mile \ Team \ Race, \ which \ illustrated \ the \ strength \ of \ the \ Tall \ Corn \ Conference.$ 

Mark Skahill won the State Cross Country Run for the second year which marks the fifth year in a row that Villisca has had the individual champion. The absence of seniors Mark Skahill, Mike Northup, and Rick Shearer will be felt next year; but underclassmen Doug Gray, John Kernen, David Skahill, and Mike Chaney will be returning to form a good nucleus for next year's team.

# YR1972PG007

### Football

The improvement of the 1971 Bluejay football team should set a solid foundation for teams of the next few

years. The seniors will be remembered most for their great determination to never give up. Because of this they have set a pattern that will inspire Bluejay Football Teams in the future.

The 1971 Bluejay football season was highlighted by having Danny Carlson and Mark Eno named to the first team All Tall-Corn Conference. Mark Parker, Tom Solt, Alan Dicks, Mark Raney, and Gary Cassidy were named 2nd Team All-Conference. Dave Rhamy, Ralph Phillip, Stuart Williams, and Marty Schafer were named honorable mention All-Conference.

#### YR1972PG008

Fall Activities

#### YR1972PG009

Ited's

Magazine Sales

The juniors surpassed their goal of \$3, 800 dollars in the annual magazine sales campaign. Team coordinators were Gloria Stalder and Carolyn Cassidy. The junior class sales totaled \$3964.61 surpassing last year's high. The top three in sales were Carol Lewis, Connie Smith, and Jim Muller.

### YR1972PG010

Miss Joyce Long 1971 Band Queen

### YR1972PG011

Carol Lewis, Laurie Lehmkuhl, Debbie Gourley, Susie Lane

#### YR1972PG012

Coronation and Pep Rally

### YR1972PG013

Homecoming Parade

Queen Shelley Dunn; crownbearer, Troy Tryborn and flowergirl Lisa Rhamy.

1st place float: Junior High.

2nd place float: Junior.

Joyce Long and Debbie Gourley.

Peg Wright and Brenda Bangston.

3rd place float: Senior.

# YR1972PG014

Jays Defeat Eagles 66-6 Homecoming Dance 1971

#### YR1972PG015

1971 Bonfire

# YR1972PG016

Miss Shelley Dunn 1971 Homecoming Queen

YR1972PG017

Deggie Gourley Brenda Bangston Peg Wright

Joyce Long

#### YR1972PG019

Winter

#### YR1972PG020

### The 1971-72 Jayettes

After finishing second in the Villisca Holiday Tournament, the Jayettes won their last four Conference games and claimed a third place finish in the Tall Corn Conference. These wins enabled the Jayettes to complete a respectable 9-10 season.

The 1971-72 JV's

To the victor comes the spoils, has been a motto quoted to many winners. Since Jr. High this team has been blessed with talent, organization, and desire. Without talent, one is unimportant. Without organization, one is bewildered. Without desire, one is hopeless. With these three things, this team has a very bright future ahead. Good luck, and may your future be rewarded. Record 8-6.

#### YR1972PG021

Boys Basketball Action

#### YR1972PG022

Cheerleading 71 - 72

Varsity Cheerleaders for this year were: Brenda Bangston, Shelley Dunn, Deb Gourley, Joyce Long, Carol Lewis, Lori Lovig, and Gloria Stalder. They cheered at all football and basketball games, planned many pep assemblies, and did many other jobs such as making posters, cleaning trophy cases, and decorating for the athletic banquet.

# YR1972PG023

Y-Teen Activities

The Y-Teens during the past year helped the community and surrounding area. In the fall they collected Unicef, sold nuts and crunch, and took Thanksgiving Baskets to people in the community. For Christmas they had a Dad Daughter Fix-it to prepare toys for the Kiddie Party. In the spring they took Easter baskets to a nursing home, went to the Clarinda Mental Health to entertain patients by playing volleyball, and had the Mother-Daughter Tea. There were many other activities during the year.

### YR1972PG024

Miss Merry Christmas, Carol Lewis Mr. Happy New Year, Mark Raney

#### YR1972PG025

Pep Band Supports Our School Honors Concert Rehearsal

### YR1972PG026

FFA Sweetheart, Peggy Wright Her Court Shelley Joyce Debbie Brenda

### YR1972PG027

FFA Activities

F.F.A. contestants at subdistrict, district, and state.

Parent-Son Banquet.

Sweetheart Dance.

Parliamentary Procedure.

Banquet.

This page sponsored by Dr. Eric Hollen.

#### YR1972PG028

Miss Y-Teen

Karen Long

Candidates: Laurie Lehmkuhl, Judy Knoke, Rita Gourley

#### YR1972PG029

Twirp Dance

#### YR1972PG030

March of Dimes Queen & King Debbie Gourley & Tom Sott

#### YR1972PG031

Spring

# YR1972PG032

Track

Karen Long (School Record)--Shot 37'31" Dan Carlson—Long Jump

Dan Canson—Long Jump

Rick Shearer--440 Yd. Dash

Mike Gourley--High Jump

# YR1972PG033

Dave McAlpin --Pole Vault

Mike Northup--Two Mile

Mark Skahill (School Record) -- Two Mile 9:33.8 One Mile 4:31.7

Steve Scanlan (School Record) --Shot 53'5"

#### YR1972PG034

Guest speaker at this year's Athletic Banquet was Phil Wertman, a 1967 graduate of VHS. All athletes were recognized in their respective sports. This year's recipients of the Outstanding Sportsmanship Awards were Mark Skahill and Karen Long.

#### YR1972PG035

Quill & Scroll Banquet

The second annual Quill and Scroll Banquet was held April 10, 1972. Guest speaker was Mrs. Opal Eckert, head of the Journalism Department at Northwest Missouri State University, Maryville, Missouri. The following people were inducted into the National Quill and Scroll Society: Starr Brown, Mark Parker, Michele Fengel, Stuart Williams, Steve Johnson, LaDona Jergenson, Karen Long, Carol Lewis, and Linda Marsh.

**Student Council Elections** 

Cliff Shipley elected President, Brent Sunderman as Vice-President.

Other candidates: Mark Raney, President; Diane Haley, Vice-President; Randy Raney, Vice-President; Barb Franson, President.

### YR1972PG036

Miss Debbie Gourley 1972 Track Queen

### YR1972PG037

1972 Bluejay Relays

Track Queen Candidates for this year were Brenda Bangston, Lori Lovig, Carol Lewis, Ann Johnson, and Laurie Bergren.

Debbie receives her roses from Mark.

Flower girl was Coral Mauderly and crown bearer was Todd Hollen.

#### YR1972PG038

Junior and Senior Prom

Waitresses: Left to Right: Jeanne Bashaw, Lauri Bergren, Donna Skahill, Carla Mauderly, Liz Moestchen.

### YR1972PG039

Junior and Senior Prom

Waiters: Left to Right: Randy Raney, Lynn Shearer, Greg Taylor, Ralph Phillip, Brent Sunderman.

#### YR1972PG040

Speech Class – T.V. Takeoffs

### YR1972PG041

Y-Teen Tea

Guest speaker: Loretta Reeves. Installation of officers for 1972-73. The pinning on of corsages for Mothers.

The serving table.

#### YR1972PG042

SUTPHEN SCHOLARSHIP: Mary Boggess ANNUAL DEDICATION: Mr. Paul Barker AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP AWARD: Ruth Poore

SCHROEDER SCHOLARSHIP: Danny Carlson. VILLISCA COMMUNITY

TECHNICAL SCHOLARSHIP: Bob Graham, Peg Wright.

ANNUAL DEDICATION: Mr. Paul Barker

#### YR1972PG043

MARY BOGGESS DANNY CARLSON

MICHELE FENGEL

LADONNA JERGENSON

LAUREL LEHMKUHL

MICHAEL NORTHUP

**NEAL PETERSON** 

STUART WILLIAMS

SALUTATORIAN: Judy Wilhelm VALEDICTORIAN: Stuart Williams

#### YR1972PG045

Graduation 1972

#### YR1972PG046

**Golf Swingers** 

#### YR1972PG047

Seniors

#### YR1972PG048

#### Seniors

PRESIDENT

MIKE NORTHUP "I'd like to be bashful but the girls won't let me. " President 4; Student Council 4, Treasurer 4; Football 1; Track 3, 4; Cross Country 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### VICE-PRESIDENT

DICK BOGGESS "All great men are dying, I don't feel too well myself." Vice-President 4; Concert Band 1, 2; Marching 1, 2; FFA 1, 2, 3; FCA 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4: Science Club 1, 2.

#### SECRETARY

BRENDA BANGSTON "She seems quiet and shy, but never fear she gets by." Secretary 4; Treasurer 2; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Girls Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Swing Choir 3, 4; Creston Little All-State 3, 4; Chorus Secretary 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 1, 2, 3, 4; All-School Play 1; Musical Review 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Letterman's Club 3, 4; Annual Staff 2, 3, 4; Lay-out Editor 4; Track Queen Candidate 1, 2, 3; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; FF FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Miss VHS Candidate 3; March of Dimes Queen Candidate 4; Cheerleading 3, 4; Office Secretary 1, 2, 3.

### TREASURER

MARTY SCHAFER "Great men laugh, sleep, and sigh; since great men do, so do I. " Treasurer 4; FCA 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Math Club 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; Teen Haven Board 3; Spanish Club 1, 2.

#### YR1972PG049

SHERI BANGSTON "I can resist anything but temptation! " Chorus 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 3; Golf 4; Science Club 1; Cheerleading 2; Faculty Secretary 1, 2, 3; Librarian's Club 1, 2, 3.

JOEL BASHAW "Do unto the other fellow the way he'd do unto you, but do it first. " Concert Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Marching 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, Class Representative 2; Creston Little All-State Chorus 1, 2, Band 4; Drama Club 1; Musical Review 1, 2; FCA 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3; Golf 3; Letterman's Club 3, 4; Math Club 1, 2, 3; Science Club

1, 2, 3, 4.

GREG BECKETT "Don't look at me. I didn't do it!" Concert Band 1, 2, 4; Stage Band 1, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Boys Glee 1, 2; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Drama Club 1; Musical Review 1; FFA 3, 4; Golf 4; Football Manager 1.

DALE BISBEE "An idea just hit me,, so I hit it back!" FFA 1, 2, 3.

MARY BOGGESS "Quiet but she has a twinkle in her eye." Concert Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 2, 3, 4; Marching 1, 2, 3, 4; SWI Honor Band 3, 4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 3; Science Club 1, 2,

3, 4; President 4; Spanish Club 2, 3.

MARILYN BRANAN "There's a little bit of mischief in every good girl. "Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 3, 4; Math Club 3: Science Club 1.

#### YR1972PG050

DONNA BREES "I was cut out to be an angel, but someone lost the pattern! " Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1, 3, 4; Musical Review 1; Librarian's Club 3,4.

DANIEL A. CARLSON "Keep smiling, it makes people wonder what you've been up to! " Class Officer 3, vice-president; Student Council 3; FFA 1, sentinel; FCA 2, 3, 4, 3 vice-president, 2 secretary; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1; Golf 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 3, 4, 4 president; Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 3 treasurer, 4 vice-president; Teen Haven Board 4; Football All-Conference 4.

GARY CASSIDY "There are always two sides to every question; the wrong one and mine! " Class Officer 3 president; Chorus 3, 4; Boys Glee 3, 4; FCA 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 3; Letterman's Club 3, 4; Science Club 3, 4 Transfer.

GALEN DOLL "If wisecracks were grains of sand, he'd be the Sahara Desert" Football Manager 1; Football 4; Track Manager 1, 2: Track 3, 4.

SHELLEY DUNN "How many days till Friday night?" Class officer 1, 2, 3, secretary; Creston Little All-State 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3; Girls Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus Officer 4 president; Glee Officer 3 secretary; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 1, 3, 4; Drama Club 1, 2, 3, Council 1; All-School Play 1; Musical Review 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Letterman's Club 2, 3, 4; Volcano Staff 2, 3, 4; Track Queen 3; Homecoming Queen 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Office Secretary 3; Cheerleading 4; Winter Homecoming Queen 3.

MARK ENO "I remember a mass of things, but none too distinctly!" FCA 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 4 vice-president.

#### YR1972PG051

MICHELE FENGEL "I can hardly wait to see what I'm going to say next!" Creston Little All-State 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Girls Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 1, 2, 3, 4; All-School Play 1; Musical Review 1, 2; Track 1, 2; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 2, 3, 4; Math Club 3; Science Club 1, 2, 3; Teen Haven Board 3; Volcano Staff 4; Office Secretary 4.

STEVE FITZWATER "I LOVE school- -closed!" FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3; Baseball 1, 2; Science Club 1, 2. KAREN A. GAGE "To study or not to study--that is the question!" Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Librarian's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; president 4.

DEBBIE GOURLEY "Her asset poise: her hobby boys! " Student Council 3, 4, 4 secretary; Concert Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 4; Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Creston Little All-State 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 4; Drama Club 1; Musical Review 1, 2; Golf 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Letterman's Club 4; Volcano Staff 3; Band Queen Candidate 4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; J. V . Cheerleading 2; Varsity Cheerleading 4; Office Secretary 4.

RITA JEAN GOURLEY "Like an angel's visit: short and sweet! "Concert Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Creston Little All-State 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

BOB GRAHAM "If you never get into mischief, you miss a lot of fun! " Class Officer 3 Treasurer; Student Council President 4; Student Council 4; FCA 1, 2, 3, 4, 3 president; Football 3, 4; Cross Country 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Volcano Staff 4.

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TERRI GRAY "Good things come in small packages." Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 3, 4.

LANA HARRIS "I wonder which guy I'll go with next." Concert Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Creston Little All- State 4; Chorus 2, 3; Girl's Glee 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 1, 2, 3; Musical Review 1, 2; Track 1; Golf 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 2, 3, 4; Volcano Staff 2, 3, 4; Editor 4; Office

Secretary 3, 4.

BARBARA HILTABIDEL "Ready to laugh, ready to smile. "Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Science Club 2, 3, 4; Volcano Staff 2, 3, 4: Librarian's Club 2, 3, 4.

MERRIE JACKSON "To insure peace of mind, always ignore the rules and regulations." Chorus 3; Girls Glee 2, 3; File Clerk 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 3, 4; Secretary 4; Musical Review 2; Basketball Manager 2, 3; Letterman's Club 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Librarian's Club 1, 2.

LADONA JERGENSON "She either looks on the bright side or polishes the dark. " Chorus 2, 3, 4; Creston Little All-State 4; Girls Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Y- Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 4; Musical Review 1, 2; Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4; Librarian's Club 3, 4; 4 treasurer; School Radio Reporter 4. HENRY KASHA "The road to success is always under construction. " Chorus 3; Boys Glee 3; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; reporter 4.

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RICK KING "Lead him not into temptation, just show him the way!" FFA 1, 3.

JUDY KNOKE "If you don't know she's there, it isn't her fault!" Student Council 2, 3; Creston Little All-State 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Girls Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Y - Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Cabinet 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 1, 2, 3, 4; All-School Play 1; Musical Review 1, 2; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball Manager 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 3, 4; Science Club 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 3,4; Office Secretary 3; Librarian's Club 1, 2, treasurer 2.

SUSAN LANE "She has a Sunday School face and Saturday night ideas!" Class Officer 1; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3, 4; Creston Little All-State 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Golf 2,3,4; Basketball 1,3,4; Teen Haven Board 2; Volcano Staff 4; Band Queen Candidate 4.

LAURIE LEHMKUHL "She's a man hater, but the Bible says love your enemies!" Class Officer 2; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band President 4; SWI Band 4; Little All-State 3,4; Chorus 2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Glee Officer 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 2,3,4; Y-Teen Officer 3; Drama Club 1,2,3,4; Golf 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Band Queen Candidate 4.

JOYCE LONG "Just let me adjust my halo" Concert Band 1, 2, 3,4; Stage Band 3, 4; Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Little All-State 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Teen Haven Board 4; Band Queen 4.

KAREN LONG "She has a good time having a good time! " Concert Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 4; Marching Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Little All-State 4; Chorus 2; Glee 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, president 4; Musical Review 1, 2; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Volcano Staff 4; Librarian's Club 1, 2.

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DAVID G. MC ALPIN, JR. "Studying never killed anyone, but I don't like to take chances! " Concert Band 1, 2; Marching 1, 2; Drama Club 1; FFA 1; FCA 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Letterman's Club 4; Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

BETH NASH "I used to be quiet and refined, but now I'm a senior! " Concert Band 1; Stage Band 1; Marching 1; Chorus 1; Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1; Musical Review 1; Softball 1; Basketball 1.

JULIE NELSON "Full of pep and nonsense too, does what she's not expected to. " Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Creston Little All-State Chorus 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Musical Review 1, 2; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 3, 4; Office Secretary 3, 4.

BRUCE OBLINGER "Follow my rules, they're more fun! " Concert Band 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 3, 4; Marching 3, 4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Track 2; Golf 3, 4.

MARK PARKER "I'd rather argue with a thousand men than with ONE woman! " Vice-President 2; Drama Club 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1; Letterman's Club 3, 4; Volcano Staff 3, 4, Editor 4.

FRED PETERSON "School is all right. What else can you do during the day?" Concert Band 1, 2, 3; Stage Band 2; Marching 1, 2, 3; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3.

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NEAL PETERSON "It's a man of mischief who keeps the world alive." Concert Band 1, 2, 3; Stage Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Marching 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 1, 2, 3; Musical Review 1, 2; FCA 1, 2, 3, 4, President 2, Vice-President 3; Football 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Math Club 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Teen Haven Board 2; Volcano Staff 3.

RUTH POORE "A cheerful smile makes life worthwhile." Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Creston Little All-State Chorus 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Musical Review 1, 2; Office Secretary 4.

STEVE RUSSELL "Beware the fury of a silent man." Chorus 3, 4; Boys Glee 3; FFA 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Cross Country 3; Basketball 3; Letterman's Club 3, 4; Volcano Staff 4.

RICK SHEARER "I'm always at a loss to know how much to believe of my own stories! "FFA 1, 2, 3; FCA 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3; Cross Country 1, 2, 3, 4; Track Tri-Captain 3; Basketball 4; Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4. CHARLES SHIPLEY "The less I learn the less I have to remember. "FFA 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1; Football Manager 1. MARK SKAHILL "He tries to be dignified but his actions betray him." Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 3, 4, Section Leader 3; Creston Little All-State 3, 4; Drama Club 3, 4; Clerk 4; Musical Review 1, 2; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3, President 4, Track 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1.

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DWIGHT SMITH "Intelligence is the capacity for evading hard work!" FFA 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 3, 4; Baseball 1; Basketball 1, 2; Letterman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

JAMES THOMAS SOLT "If I had it to do over, I still wouldn't work!" FFA 1, 2, 3,4, 4 vice- president; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4.

ELDONNA STEFFEN "Her outward efforts are expressions of her inward thoughts." Creston Little All-State 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Girls Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Y- Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Musical Review 1, 2; Science Club 3,4.
BEVERLY THOMPSON "Always on the move!"

DORIS WIECHMAN "Don't look at me boys--it makes me nervous! " Y- Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 3; Science Club 2,4; Volcano Staff 3; Librarian's Club 3,4, 4 vice-president.

JUDY WILHELM "Don't tell me what I mean. Let me figure it out for myself!" Creston Little All-State 4; Chorus 2, 3,4; Girls Glee 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Musical Review 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman's Club 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Office Secretary 3; Librarian's Club 1.

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STUART WILLIAMS "Smart? I guess I am! Because I don't study much!" Class Officer 1, President; Student Council 1; Chorus 1; Musical Review 1; FCA 3, 4, President 4; Football 1, 2, 3,4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter - man's Club 3,4; Math Club 1, 2, 3,4; Science Club 1, 2, 3,4; Volcano Staff 3, 4, Sports Editor; Spanish Club 1, 2.

CRAIG WINTHER "Work is a great thing, so we should always save some of it for tomorrow." FFA 1, 2, 3, 4. PEGGY WRIGHT "Late hours are bad for one, but nice for two!" Student Council 4; Chorus 2, 3,4; Girls Glee 1, 2, 3,4, File Clerk 2, Class Representative 3; Swing Choir 3,4; Creston Little All-State Chorus 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Cabinet 4; Drama Club 1, 2, 3, 4; All-School Play 1; Musical Review 1, 2; Track 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, Manager 4; Annual Staff 2, 3,4, Copy Editor 4; FFA Sweetheart 4; March of Dimes Queen Candidate 4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Office Secretary 1; Faculty Secretary 2, 3, 4; Librarian's Club 1, 2, Vice-President 2.

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Lupita

Dear Villisca High School,

First of all I want to thank you for making it possible to come to Villisca.

Really it is incredible how rapid the time has passed. I will never forget the night I arrived at the Omaha airport and Mrs. Marsh asked me if my name was Marfa Lopez, it was a little confusing for me because it was the first time that anyone called me Marfa.

From that moment and during several days all was confusion for me. Thank goodness now I think I understand English better.

When I return to Mexico I am planning to work as a bilingual secretary and at night take English classes. The classes that I took during my stay here I consider to be of great importance for my future life.

During the past nine months I have had many unforgettable moments like the first time I saw snow. How fantastic it was for me to see and walk through the snow and at the same time experience the lasting cold. Other unforgettable moments are soaping windows on Halloween and my birthday party, American style. Prom night was also fantastic.

Also in the past 9 months I saw and visited some places in Iowa, Nebraska and Missouri like: Homecoming in Villisca and Maryville, Missouri; various parades; Thanksgiving in Knoxville, Iowa; Grotto of Redemption, West Bend; Tulip Festival in Pella; Capital building in Des Moines; old Capital building in Iowa City; Amana; Birthplace of Hoover and museum, West Branch; International Day in Bedford; Arbor Lodge and John Brown Cave, Nebraska City; and Waubonsie State Park.

With fond remembrances,

Lupita Lopez

#### YR1972PG059

Underclassmen

#### YR1972PG060

1973

1st. Row: Gary Clark, Pres.; Barb Franson, V. Pres.; Carol Lewis, Sec.; Steve Johnson, Treas.; Carl Anderson; Phil Anderson; Cecil Armstrong.

2nd. Row: Mr. Barker, Sponsor; Mr. Scott, Sponsor; Bob Blank; Doris Brees.

3rd. Row: Starr Brown; Caroyln Cassidy. 4th. Row: Candi Delehant; Alan Dicks. 5th. Row: Arnold Dicks; Gary Dukes. 6th. Row: Hazel Eifert; Skip Fitzwater.

7th. Row: Allan Garey; Mike Gourley; Wendell Gourley.

### YR1972PG061

1973

1st. Row: Doug Gray; Sara Gustafson; Diane Haley; Elaine Hess; Ken Jacobs; Mike Jergenson; John Kernen.

2nd. Row: Ed Kleindienst; Lori Lovig; Linda Marsh; Dallas Maxwell; Jim Muller; Tammy O'Rourke; Jim Peterson. 3rd. Row: Mark Raney; Dave Rhamy.

4th. Row: Marsha Roberts; Jill Rucker; Debbie Rupp; Steve Scanlon; Anne Schafer.

5th. Row: Cliff Shipley; Dave Skahill.

6th. Row: Connie Smith, Dennis Smith, Karen Smith; Jim Smith; Ken Sprague; Gloria Stalder; Robin Strand. 7th. Row: Bryon Sunderman; Chuck Sunderman; Dorothy Thomas; Bob Watts; Jeff Weaver; Steve Wilson; John Yeske.

#### YR1972PG062

1974

1st. Row: Bruce Williams, Pres.; Brent Sunderman, V. Pres.; Mike Bartlett; John Beedle; Mike Bowling; Patty Boyle; Curtis Bradley.

2nd. Row: Susan Hausen, Sec.; Denise Rhamy, Treas.; Ken Burton; Diane Carlson; Bruce Cassidy; Mike Chaney; Don Clark.

3rd. Row: Mr. Gifford, Sponsor; Mr. Johnson, Sponsor; Denise Copelin; Dale Danielson; Paul Dumler.

4th. Row: Reed English; Tom Fengel; Jesse Figgins.

5th. Row: Joy Findley; Sheila Fryer; Gail Garey.

6th. Row: Jeanne Goettsch; Jo Ellen Gourley; Becky Grashorn.

7th. Row: Steve Greenfield; Ed Grimit; Kathy Haley; Cheryl Hampel; Nancy Harper.

#### YR1972PG063

1974

1st. Row: Susan Honeyman; Bill Houser; Jerry Jett; Ann Johnson.

2nd. Row: Sidney Leichty; Lori Marckmann; Connie Marsh; George Marsh.

3rd. Row: Connie Mauderly; Margie Moates; Debbie Motsinger; Debbie Oltmanns.

4th. Row: Phil Peterson; Ralph Phillip; Sheryl Pond; Mark Poston; Randy Raney; Carol Rusk; Fred Scholey.

5th. Row: Cathy Schuler; Kathy Scott; Lynn Shearer; Kathy Shields; Karen Smith, Tim Solt; Gail Stein.

6th. Row: Greg Taylor; Nick Taylor.

7th. Row: Leslie Thompson; Chris Winther; Not Pictured: Eddie Mack.

#### YR1972PG064

1975

1st. Row: John Hausen, Pres.; Richard Fast, V. Pres.; Liz Moestchen, Sec.; Barry Leichty, Treas.; Jerry Baker;

Richard Baldwin: Jeanne Bashaw.

2nd. Row: Miss Lonn, Sponsor; Mr. Boehland, Sponsor; Jeff Beckett; Kim Beedle.

3rd. Row: Lauri Bergren; LaVerna Black.

4th. Row: Diane Dumler; Jeff Fast.

5th. Row: Randy Garey; Alan Gourley.

6th. Row: Terry Ross; John Saikaly.

7th. Row: Randy Gray; Nelson Grismore; Susanette Gulick.

### YR1972PG065

1975

1st. Row: Gary Haley; Gale Hess; Gary Hightshoe; Jeff Hunter; Ann Jergenson; Frieda Kasha; Dixie Laire.

2nd. Row: Gordon McAlpin.

3rd. Row: Rick McAlpin.

4th. Row: Joyce McKinley; Arthur Mack; Tony Marsh; Carla Mauderly; Dana Neal; Susan Phillip; Joe Philpott.

5th. Row: Kay Ronfeldt.

6th. Row: Lonnie Grashorn; Dennis Gray.

7th. Row: Tom Schafer; Sally Schenck; Twyla Schrader; Stan Shipley; Donna Skahill; Joyce Wiechman; Russell

Wilson.

### YR1972PG066

VHS Losses

Mrs. Ruth Moore taught Junior and Senior English and Journalism for three years at VHS.

Mr. Carl Wheeler taught World History and American Problems this past year.

Mr. Bill Scott has been a teacher of Mathematics for seven years in our school.

Mr. Gaylin Sudik was our Band instructor for the past seven years.

Mrs. Pat Eno taught Freshman English and Spanish for the past two years.

Mrs. Sylvia Smith, not pictured, was our Home Ec. teacher for the past eight years.

## YR1972PG067

Year Round

#### YR1972PG068

Cross Country

Football

#### YR1972PG069

### Cheerleaders

VARSITY:

Carol Lewis Brenda Bangston Shelley Dunn Joyce Long Gloria Stalder Lori Lovig Deb Gourley

J. V.:

Sheila Fryer Connie Mauderly Debbie Motsinger Ann Johnson

#### YR1972PG070

Jayettes

Junior Jayettes

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#### YR1972PG071

Bluejays

Junior Jays

#### YR1972PG072

Girls Track

**Boys Track** 

### YR1972PG073

Golf

GIRL'S GOLF: Anne Schafer, Judy Knoke, Michele Fengel, Laurie Lehmkuhl, and Gail Stein. BOY'S GOLF: Jeff Fast, Bruce Oblinger, Marty Schafer, Bob Watts, and Bob Blank (Not Pictured).

### YR1972PG074

Softball

Baseball

### YR1972PG075

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### YR1972PG076

Choir

Girls Glee

Swing Choir

#### YR1972PG077

Stage Band

Marching Band

Concert Band

# YR1972PG078

Volcano Staff

Officers: Mark Parker, Editor-in-Chief; Lana Harris, Associate Editor; Mrs. Ruth Moore, Sponsor.

Student Council

Officers: Bob Graham, President; Diane Haley, Vice-President; Debbie Gourley, Secretary, Mike Northup,

Treasurer; Mr. Lewis, Sponsor (Not Pictured).

#### YR1972PG079

Y-Teens

Cabinet

Front Row: Mrs. Pat Eno, Sponsor; Anne Schafer, Treasurer; Merrie Jackson, Secretary; Starr Brown, Vice-President: Karen Long, President. 2nd. Row: LaDona Jergenson, Becky Grashorn, Sheila Fryer, Peg Wright, Deb Debbie Gourley, Carol Lewis. 3rd. Row: Connie Mauderly, Gail Stein, Denise Rhamy, Brenda Bangston, Shelley Dunn. 4th. Row: Carla Mauderly, Sally Schenck, Laurie Lehmkuhl, Judy Knoke, Linda Marsh.

### YR1972PG080

FFA

1st Row: Mr. Dale Spencer, Sponsor; Bruce Williams, -Secretary; Dallas Maxwell, Treasurer; Mark Skahill, President; Tom Solt, Vice-President. 2nd Row: Henry Kasha, Reporter; Mark Raney, Parliamentarian; Dave Rhamy, Sentinel; Kenny Jacobs, Reporter; Chuck Sunderman, Sentinel.

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#### YR1972PG081

**Annual Staff** 

Teen Haven Council

Not pictured: Danny Carlson, Joyce Long.

### YR1972PG082

Sr. Science Club

Officers: Mr. Chaney, Sponsor; Gary Clark, Treasurer; Danny Carlson, Vice-President; Mary Boggess, President; Marty Schafer, President; Barb Franson, Secretary.

Jr. Science Club

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### YR1972PG083

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Officers: Mr. Wheeler, Sponsor; Danny Carlson, President; Shelley Dunn, Sec. & Treas.; Mark Eno, Vice Pres.; Mr. Boehland, Sponsor.

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Officers: Mark Raney, Vice Pres. ; Stuart Williams, Pres. ; Mr. Boehland, Sponsor.

#### YR1972PG084

Spanish Club

Officers: Brent Sunderman, Treasurer; Nick Taylor, Secretary; Gail Stein, Vice-President; Skip Fitzwater, President; Mrs. Eno, Sponsor.

Librarian Club

Officers: Karen Gage, President; Doris Wiechman, Vice-President; Connie Smith, Secretary; La Dona Jergenson,

Treasurer; Mrs. Paxson, Sponsor.

### YR1972PG085

### Math Club

Officers: Cliff Shipley, President; Neal Peterson, Vice-President (not pictured); Nick Taylor, Secretary-Treasurer;

Mr. Scott, Sponsor.

Teen Haven Council

Officers: Connie Mauderly, President; Dallas Maxwell, Vice-President; Laureen Lovig, Secretary; Jeanne

Bashaw, Treasurer; Mr. Gifford, Sponsor.

### YR1972PG086

Student Secretaries

Peggy Wright, Mr. Spencer, Sheila Fryer.

Susan Hausen, Barb Franson, Mrs. Smith.

Michele Fengel, Ann Johnson

Connie Mauderly, Hazel Eifert

Mrs. Harris, Elaine Hess

#### YR1972PG087

Student Secretaries

Linda Marsh, Lana Harris, Mr. Sudik.

Mr. Wheeler, Deb Gourley, Lori Lovig.

Ruth Poore, Debbie Rupp

Denise Rhamy, Jo Ellen Gourley

Kathy Schuler, Julie Nelson

#### YR1972PG088

Student Teachers

Mary Kaye Wilbur--English

Debbie Goodwin--P. E.

Bev Peterman--Business

George Jannings--Voc. Ag.

George Thomas --Art

Brian Curtis--Voc. Ag.

Bill McKenny--English

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Personnel

# YR1972PG090

Administration

Superintendent: J. R. Henderson, Secretary: Carolyn Harris.

Principal: Robert Baxter, Secretary: Carol Greenfield.

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## Schoolboard:

Willis Marvick, President; Chuck Crouse, Dean Sunderman, Glen Findley, Bud Phillip, and Roberta Dickey, Secretary.

#### YR1972PG092

Teachers

Mrs. Helen Sutphen

Mr. Gary Fowler

Mr. Carl Wheeler

### YR1972PG093

Mr. Paul Barker

Miss Linda Lonn

Mrs. Leona Wertman

Mr. Larry Hummel

Mr. Dwight Lewis

Mr. Wayne Chaney

### YR1972PG094

Mrs. Kim Smith

Mr. Bill Scott

Mrs. Zelma Paxson

Mrs. Pat Eno

Mr. Carl Johnson

Mr. Mel Boehland

#### YR1972PG095

Mr. Dale Spencer

Mr. Bill Miller

Mrs. Sylvia Smith Mrs. Ruth Moore

Mr. Chuck Gifford

Mr. Gaylin Sudik

### YR1972PG096

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#### YR1973PG001

VILLISCA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS PRESENTING "THE 1973 BLIJEJAY" VILLISCA, IOWA 50864

#### YR1973PG002

### Forward

There is an old legend in the Hills of an old, old trail that nobody knows how old. As one traverses this trail, one comes to a fork in the road: one leading to sunlit fields, with happiness and contentment; the other leading to a desolate area, with griefs and fears.

It is our destiny to chose which path we shall take, for it has been truly said of each of us, "We are the masters of our fate and the captains of our soul."

I hope in some small way that I may have contributed towards your proper choice in life and my best wishes go to the Seniors of '73.

### YR1973PG003

#### Dedication

He has given his time, patience, and understanding to the students of V.H. S. His school spirit and sense of humor has made him a well-liked teacher. He has worked for the community by helping on such projects as a Community and Youth Center.

His ability to get along with others is shown by his leadership. He has been the sponsor of the Class of '74, the Y-Teens, the Teen Haven, and the Cheerleaders, as well as giving guitar lessons to interested students. His interest and thoughtfulness for each student is appreciated and respected.

With sincere appreciation for his tireless work, we proudly dedicate the 1973 Bluejay to Mr. Chuck Gifford.

# YR1973PG004

# To the VHS Students:

The 1973 Bluejay is finally finished. Many times over the past year we wondered if it was really possible. But as you can see we made it somehow.

On behalf of the school, we would like to take this opportunity to express our gratitude to Mr. Robert Baxter and Mr. J. R. Henderson for their work and time spent for the school. We hope they will be happy in their new jobs. Best of luck to both of you in the future. Thank You.

We would also like to thank all the people who have contributed toward our new school sign that appears frequently in this book. We wanted to use it in our book because the students wanted it so much. A hearty thanks to Kendrick and Heard who donated time and labor and to the Villisca Chamber of Commerce, the High School Student Council, the Senior Class of '72, and the School Board who all donated money. Thank You. Another thank you goes to everyone who helped us get this annual completed: Mr. Barker, for being our sponsor and photographer; Mr. Baldwin, for being our professional photographer; the teachers, for smiling even though we interrupted their classes; the merchants of Villisca, Corning, Clarinda, Red Oak, and Nodaway for buying advertisements; and to the students of VHS for letting us bother them for pictures and for buying this book before seeing the finished product. Thank You.

We hope this annual can be used now and in years to come as a memory book. The Bluejay should bring to mind memories to the Seniors and hopes of more memories to the Underclassmen. We hope you enjoy the

'73 Bluejay.

Sincerely,

The Bluejay Staff Editor: Starr Brown

**Business Manager: Carol Lewis** 

Sponsor: Mr. Paul Barker

Photographers: Steve Johnson, Gail Stein. Seniors: Gary Clark, Doug Gray, Cliff Shipley.

Juniors: Carol Rusk, Ralph Phillips.

Sophomores: Liz Moestchen, Jeanne Bashaw, Lori

Bergren, S ally Schenck. Freshman: Julie Jacobs.

#### YR1973PG005

VILLISCA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

MARK RANEY PRES.
CAROL LEWIS V. PRES.
DIANE HALEY SECY.
GARY CLARK TREAS.

Seniors

### YR1973PG006

In Memory

In memory of a friend, Mary Focht.

Mary has meant something different for each of us. To some she was an acquaintance; to others, a special love. But to all of us she was a friend.

Thank you, Mary.

#### YR1973PG007

Mr. Paul Barker, Sponsor

Mr. Joel Patterson, Sponsor

CAROL LEWIS "I'd rather argue with a thousand women, than with ONE man." Class Officer Secretary 2,3, Vice-President 4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 3,4, Marching Band 1,2,3,4 Band Council 2,4, President 4; SWI Honor Band 3,4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Creston Little All-State Chorus 2; Chorus 2,3, Girl's Glee 1,2,3, Swing Choir 2,3; Girl's Glee Representative 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Cabinet 2,3,4, Treasurer 4; Drama Club 2 Vice-President 2; Variety Show 4; Musical Review 1; Science Club 2,3; Annual Staff 2,3,4; Band Queen Candidate 3; Homecoming Queen 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Cheerleading 2,3,4; Co-Captain 4; Spanish Club 1; Miss Merry Christmas 3, Candidate 4; Quill and Scroll International Honor Society 3.

MARK RANEY "An athlete that scores in more ways than one." Class Officer President 1, Vice-President 2, President 4; Student Council 2,3,4; FFA 1,2,3,4, Sentinel 2, Point System Chairman 3, Reporter 4; FCA 3,4 Vice President 3; Football 1,2,3,4 Co-Captain 4; Track 1,2,3; Basketball 2,3; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Science Club 2,3; Football Tall Corn All Conference 4.

DIANE HALEY "Everything I like is either illegal, immoral, or fattening." Class Officer President 1, Secretary 4; Student Council 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 3; Concert Band 1,2,3,4, Marching Band 1,2,3,4, Council 4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Softball 1,2,3,4; Golf 2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Math Club 1; Science Club 2,3,4; Band Queen Candidate 4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Fall Softball 4.

GARY CLARK "I fail to see the humor in this situation." Class Officer Treasurer 2, President 3, Treasurer 4;

Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 2,3,4, Marching Band 1,2,3,4, Council 1,3; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Creston Little All-State Chorus 2; Chorus 1,2,3, Boy's Glee 1,2,3, Swing Choir 2,3; Musical Review 1; Variety Show 4; Track 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 4; Science Club 1,2,3,4; President 2, Treasurer 3, President 4; Annual Staff 3,4; Spanish 1,2; Member of the Outstanding Teenagers of America 1971-1972.

#### VR1973PG008

CARL ANDERSON "Life's just one darned thing after another!" Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Creston Little All-State 4; FFA 1, 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Math Club 2,3,4; Science Club 2,3. PHIL ANDERSON "I came, I bluffed, I graduated." FFA 1,2; Golf 1; Math Club 2; Science Club 1,2.

BOBBY BLANK "I used to think, but it took up too much of my time." FFA 2; FCA 3; Football 1; Baseball 1,3,4; Golf 2,3; Basketball 2,3.

DORIS BREES "Don't look at me, I didn't do it!" Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Librarian's Club 3,4.

STARR BROWN "The hurrier I go, the behinder I get!" Chorus 2; Girls Glee 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 3,4; Vice-President 3; Musical Review 1; Math Club 1,2,3,4; President 2,4; Science Club 3,4; Annual Staff 1,2,3,4; Editor 3,4.

CAROLYN CASSIDY "Angels are perfect, but I'm a woman." Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Officer 4. Y-Teens 2,3,4; Drama Club 2,3; Track 1,2; Softball 3; Basketball 2,3,4; Science Club 2,3,4; Variety Show 4.

#### YR1973PG009

ALAN VICTOR DICKS "I try to be shy, but the girls won't let me!" Football 2,3,4; Track 1,2,3, 4; Cross Country 1; Basehall 1,2,3,4

ARNOLD V. DICKS "Behold, I am here!" Football 2,3,4; Track 1,2,34; Cross Country 1; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Math Club 2,3,4; Secretary-Treasurer 4; Science Club 2,3,4.

HAZEL EIFERT "Full of pep and nonsense too, does what she's not expected to." Chorus 2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Volcano Staff 3; Office Secretary 3; Spanish Club 2,3; Librarian's Club 1,2,3,4.

CANDI FAST "Some say she is quiet, but it's only a rumor." Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3; Musical Review 1; Basketball 1,2; Math Club 1,2; Spanish Club 2,3.

SKIP FITZWATER "He likes anything fast; cars, women ..." Class Officer; Treasurer 1; Advisory Board 2; Creston Little All-State 1; Chorus 1 2, Boys Glee 1,2; Musical Review 1; FFA 1,2,3,4; Safety Chairman 3; Parlimentarian 4; FCA 3; Basketball 1,2,3; Math Club 1,2,3; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3; Treasurer 2; Vice-President 3; Swing Choir 1.

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BARBARA FRANSON "You don't have to hang from a tree to be a nut!" Class officer 2,3 Vice-President 2,3; Student Council 3,4 Secretary 4; Chorus 2; Girl's Glee 1,2; Chorus Officer 2 Secretary; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 1,2,4; Drama Club 2,3; Musical Review 1; Golf 2; Basketball 1,2,3; Math Club 2 Secretary 2; Teen-Haven Board 1, Secretary 1; Track Queen Candidate 1, 2; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Office Secretary 2,3; Spanish Club 1; Home Ec Dept. Secretary 3; Mr. Spencer 4; Miss Merry Christmas Candidate 4. Science Club 1,2,3,4.

ALLEN GAREY "Wine, women, and song are all right, but why waste your time?" FFA 1,2,3; Science Club 3. MIKE GOURLEY "Business before pleasure but I never have any business!" FFA 1,2,3 Officer 1; FCA 2,3,4; Football 1,3; Track 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 2; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Science Club 1,2.3.

WENDELL GOURLEY "Why hurry to school? It will be there when I get there!" FFA 1,2,3; Football 2; Track 1; Basketball 1; Science Club 1,2,3.

DOUG GRAY "I wonder what I'll say next!" Concert Band 1,2,3,4 Stage Band 2,3,4 Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Creston Little All-State. Chorus 1,2; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Chorus 1,2,3, Boys' Glee 1,2,3, Chorus Officer 2 Vice-President 2; Drama Club 2,3; Musical Review 1; Football 1,2; Track 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 3,4; Science Club 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 4; Annual Staff 4; Spanish Club 1,2; Outstanding Teenagers of America 72-

73. Swing Choir 1,2,3.

DONNA GREEN "The only way to have a friend is to be one!"

#### YR1973PG011

SARA GUSTAFSON "She will if she wants to!" Concert Band 1,2,3 Marching Band 1,2,3 Chorus 1,2 Girl's Glee 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Musical Review 1; Volcano Staff 3; Spanish Club 1,2; Librarian's Club 4.

ELAINE HESS "The wheel was man's greatest invention until she got behind it!" Chorus 2; Girl's Glee 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Musical Review 1; Basketball 1; Math Club 1,2,3; Science Club 2,3,4; Volcano Staff 3,4; Office Secretary 3.4.

KEN JACOBS "Blankets aren't made just for sleeping!" Creston Little All-State Chorus 1,2, Chorus 1,2 Swing Choir 1,2 Boy's Glee 1,2; Musical Review 1; FFA 1,2,3,4; Reporter 3, Sentinel 4; FCA 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3,4.

MIKE JERGENSON "An idea just hit me, so I hit it back!" FFA 1,2,3,4; FCA 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Basketball 1,2; Science Club 1, 2.

STEVE JOHNSON "I'd rather be red than dead in the head!" Class Officer 3, Treasurer; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 4, Marching Band 1,2,3,4 Band Council 2,3,4 Drum Major 2,3,4; Creston Little All-State Chorus 2; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Chorus 1,2,3, Boy's Glee 1,2,3, Swing Choir 2,3; Drama Club 2,3, Treasurer 3; Musical Review 1; Football 1; Track 2,3,4; Annual Staff 2,3,4; Volcano Staff 3,4; Spanish Club 1,3,4 Treasurer 4; Quill and Scroll 4; Outstanding Teenagers of America 71-72, 72-73.

JOHN KERNEN "Great men laugh, sleep, and sigh, since great men do, so do I!" FFA 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Science Club 2,3; FCA 2,3,4; Track 1,2,3; Cross Country 1,2,3,4.

#### YR1973PG012

ED KLEINDIENST "He likes to travel-away from school." Football 2; Track 1; Letterman's Club 2,3; Math Club 2,3; Science Club 1,2,3; Volcano Staff 4; Spansih Club 1; Librarian's Club 4.

LORI LOVIG "Boys are bothersome, but I don't mind being bothered." Class Officer 1 Secretary; Concert Band 1, Marching Band 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Golf 4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4 Secretary-Treasurer 4; Science Club 1,2,3,4 Secretary 2; Teen Haven Board 2,3, Secretary 2,3; Track Queen Candidate 2,3; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart 4; Cheerleading 1,2,3,4 Co-Captain 4; Office Secretary 3; Spanish Club 1 Secretary 1; Athletic Secretary 3,4.

LINDA MARSH "Life is to short to hustle." Concert Band 1,2,3,4 Stage Band 1,2,3,4 Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Creston Little All-State Chorus 4; Chorus 2,4; Girls Glee 2,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Y-Teen Cabinet 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 2,3; Musical Review 1; Basketball 4; Math Club 1,2; Science Club 1,2,3, 4; Volcano Staff 1,2,3,4; Editor 4; Band Queen Candidate 4; Band Secretary 3,4; Quill and Scroll International Honor Society 3; Swing

# Choir 4; Variety Show 4.

DALLAS MAXWELL "I used to be quiet and refined, but now I'm a senior." Creston Little All-State Chorus 1; Chorus 1; Swing Choir 1; Musical Review 1; FFA 1,2,3,4; Reporter 2, Treasurer 3, Vice-President 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Science Club 2,3,4; Teen Haven Board 3, Vice-President 3; Volcano Staff 4; FCA 2,3,4 President 4. JIM MULLER "Small but mighty." Concert Band 1,2,3,4 Stage Band 1,2,3,4 Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; FFA 1, 2,4; FCA 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2; Letterman's Club 1,2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3,4.

TAMMY O'ROURKE "Some say she's bashful, others doubt it." Chorus 1, Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Science Club 1,2; Volcano Staff 3,4; Office Secretary 4; Spanish Club 1,2; Librarian's Club 1,2, 3,4.

### YR1973PG013

JIM PETERSON "If mischief is a part of Heaven, I'm on my way." Student Council 1; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Creston Little All-State Chorus 2; Chorus 1,2; Swing Choir 2; Boys Glee 1,2; Musical Reveiw 1; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 2; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3

#### Officer 2.

DAVID RHAMY "Tall, dark, and then some." Student Council 3,4; Treasurer 4; FFA 1,2,3,4 Point System Chairman 2, Sentinel 3, Secretary 4; FCA 1,2,3,4 Recreation Chairman 4; Football 1,2,3,4 Co-Captain 4; Track 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2; Basketball 1,2,3; Letterman's Club 2,3,4 President 4; Science Club 1,2; Teen Haven Board 3 President 3.

MARSHA ROBERTS "Late hours are bad for one, but good for two." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Science Club 1,4; Spanish Club 2; Librarian's Club 1,2,3, 4 Secretary 4.

JILL RUCKER "This is a beautiful day. Let's do do something to mess it up." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 2,3; Basketball 1; Scienec Club 1,2, 3,4; Teen Haven Board 4 Secretary 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; FFA Secretary 4.

DEBBIE JO RUPP "If talk were music, she'd be a whole brass band." Creston Little All-State Chorus 4; Chorus 2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Swing Choir 2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Variety Show 4; Musical Review 1; Math Club 1,2,3; Science Club 2,3,4; Office Secretary 2,3,4.

STEVE SCANLAN "I never make a mistake, once I thought I did, but I was wrong." Concert Band 1; Marching Band 1; FCA 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4 Captain 4; Basketball 1,2,3; Letterman's Club 1,2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3, 4 Theater Manager 4; Spanish Club 1; Football-All Tall Corn Conference, All Southwest Iowa 4.

### YR1973PG014

ANNE SCHAFER "If you can't convince 'em, confuse 'em." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4 Treasurer 3, President 4; Track 1; Softball 1,2,3,4; Golf 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3 Treasurer 2; Fall Softball 4.

CLIFFORD SHIPLEY "Football isn't the only thing you need a good line for." Student Council 4, President 4; Concert Band 1,2,3, Marching Band 1,2,3; FFA 1,2,3,4 Parliamentarian 3; Football 3,4; Track 3,4; Math Club 1,2,3,4 President 3; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; Volcano Staff 3,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4.

DAVID SKAHILL "Keep smiling. It makes people wonder what you've been up to." Creston Little All-State Chorus 2; Chorus 1,2; Musical Review 1; FFA 1,2,3,4; FCA 1,2,3; Track 3,4; Cross Country 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Softball 1,2,3; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Volcano Staff 4; Swing Choir 1,2.

CONNIE SMITH "There's nothing like having a good time." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Softball 1,2; Basketball 1; Spanish Club 2; Librarian's Club 1,2,3,4 Secretary 3 President 4.

DENNIS SMITH "You can't take it with you, but you can sure have a lot of fun with it while you're here." FFA 1,2,3,4.

JIM SMITH "I'll drink to that." FFA 1,2,3,4.

### YR1973PG015

KENNY SPRAGUE "Lead him not into temptation, just show him the way."

GLORIA STALDER "I wish there was some other way of starting the day besides waking up." Concert Band 1,2,3 Marching Band 1,2,3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Drama Club 1,2; Science Club 2,3; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; Cheerleading 2,3; Office Secretary 1,2; Spanish Club 1; Athletic Director Secretary 4.

ROBIN STRAND "Just an accident looking for a place to happen." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Librarian's Club 1,2,3,4 Treasurer 4.

BYRON SUNDERMAN "Time tells on a man, especially a good time." Creston Little All-State Chorus 2; Chorus 1,2,3; Boy's Glee 1,2,3 Swing Choir 2,3; Musical Review 1; FFA 1,2,3,4; Sentinel 4; FCA 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1, 2,3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 3,4 Vice-President 4; Science Club 1,2,3,4.

CHUCK SUNDERMAN "Studies? What kind of animal is that?" Concert Band 1,2 Stage Band 1 Marching Band 1,2; Drama Club 2; FFA 1,2,3,4; Parliamentarian 2 Sentinel 3 President 4; FCA 4; Football 4; Math Club 4; Science Club 1,2,3,4 Treasurer 2; Teen Haven Board 1,4.

DOROTHY THOMAS "Quiet and shy. Oh my, what a lie." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Track 3; Math Club 1,2,3; Librarian's Club 3,4 Vice-President 4.

#### YR1973PG016

BOB WATTS "It takes a man to quit, but it takes a real man to face lung cancer." Golf 1,2, 3,4; Math Club 2,3,4; Science Club 1.2.3.4.

JEFF WEAVER "If you're a man of a few words, you don't have to take so many back." FFA 2; Track 2.

STEVEN WILSON "Give me a push, my battery's dead." FFA 1,2.

JOHN YESKE "I've got a general idea; now what do I do with it?" FFA 1,2,3,4; Reporter 4.

#### YR1973PG017

**PRESIDENTS** 

VILLISCA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
JUNIOR NICK TAYLOR
SOPHOMORE RICHARD FAST
FRESHMEN SARAH DARNOLD

Underclassmen PRESIDENTS

#### YR1973PG018

Juniors

Mr. Gifford, Sponsor

Stanley Armstrong John Beedle Mike Bowling Patty Boyle Curtis Bradley Kenny Burton Diane Carlson Bruce Cassidy Mike Chaney Donnie Clark

Denise Copelin Dale Danielson Paul Dumler Reed English Tom Fengel

Karen Fidler Jesse Figgins Joy Findley Sheila Fryer Gail Garey

Larry Gaunt Jeannie Goettsch JoEllen Gourley Becky Grashorn Steve Greenfield

Eddie Grimit Gene Gulick Kathy Haley Cheryl Hampel Nancy Harper

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Debbie Motsinger Debbie Oltmanns Phil Peterson Sheryl Pond Mark Poston

Sherry Priest Randy Raney Carol Rusk Fred Scholey Cathy Schuler

Kathy Scott Lynn Shearer Kathy Shields Karen Smith Tim Solt

Gail Stein Brent Sunderman Greg 'Naylor Bruce Williams Chris Winther

#### YR1973PG020

Sophomores

Jerry Baker Rich Baldwin Jeff Beckett Kim Beedle Lauri Bergren LaVerna Black Dianne Dumler Jeff Fast Randy Garey Alan Gourley Lonnie Grashorn Dennis Gray Randy Gray Nelson Grismore Susan Gulick Gary Haley Gale Hess Jeff Hunter Ann Jergenson Frieda Kasha

#### YR1973PG021

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John Hausen Vice - President

Jeanne Bashaw Secretary

Dana Neal Treasurer

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Tony Marsh Carla Mauderly Liz Moestchen Nicki N ash

Susan Phillip Joe Philpott (not pictured) Terry Ross John Saikaly

Sally Schenck Tom Schafer Twyla Schrader Stan Shipley

Donna Skahill Joyce Weichman Russell Wilson

### YR1973PG022

Freshmen

David Anderson Paul Bangston Duane Bergren Susan Bewley

Diane Black Carl Carlson Culby Cassidy Brad Dickey

Penny Dukes Joe Fitzwater Jeff Focht Jim Focht

Kent Gage Doug Gray Jay Grismore Jim Herzberg

Glen Hoyt Kim Jamison Kathy Kerr Marsha Kleindienst

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Chris Shapcott Ronny Simmons Edward Wallace Julie Watts

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VILLISCA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

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Organizations

#### YR1973PG026

Student Council

Dave Rhamy, Treasurer; Barb Franson, Secretary; Cliff Shipley, President; Brent Sunderman, Vice-President.

Spanish Club

Sponsor, Mr. Patterson; Brent Sunderman, Secretary; Susie Honeyman, Vice-President; Gail Stein, President; Steve Johnson, Treasurer.

### YR1973PG027

Science Clubs

Sponsor, Mr. Chaney; Gary Clark, President; Denise Rhamy, Treasurer; Connie Mauderly, Secretary; Doug Gray, Vice-President.

### YR1973PG028

#### Y Teens

President, Anne Schafer; Vice-President, Carol Rusk; Secretary, Gail Stein; Treasurer, Carol Lewis; Sponsors, Mr. Chaney, Mrs. Barker, Mr. Gifford.

Cabinet

### YR1973PG029

Adding up UNICEF Collection.

Y-Teen Dance.

Senior Pins at the Y-Teen Tea.

New and Old Officers.

Serving Food at the Tea.

Mother's Council.

Our Sponsors: Mrs. Barker, Mr. Chaney, and Mr. Gifford.

#### YR1973PG030

Miss Y Teen, Anne Schafer

Her Court

Linda, Doris, Starr, Barb

#### YR1973PG031

FFA Sweetheart, Lori Lovig

Her Court

Barb Diane Jill Carol

### YR1973PG032

FFA

FFA Officers

Officers: Byron Sunderman, Sentinel; Ken Jacobs, Sentinel; John Yeske, Reporter; Mark Raney, Reporter; Charles Sunderman, President; Dallas Maxwell, Vice-President; Brent Sunderman, Treasurer; Dave Rhamy, (not pictured) Secretary; Mr. Spencer, Advisor.

This page sponsored by Eric Hollen, Veterinarian.

# YR1973PG033

Veteran's Day.

Kirk Jamison, Speaker at FFA Banquet.

Honorary Awards.

Banquet.

Student Awards.

FFA Sweetheart Dance.

FFA Sweetheart Candidates.

### YR1973PG034

From a Teen Haven

STUDENT TEEN HAVEN COUNCIL: Left to Right: Mr. Chuck Gifford, Sponsor; Susan Leichty, Bill Enarson, Susan

Hausen, Vice-President; Steve Solt, Brenda Wagaman, Kim Beedle, Kathy Kerr, Chuck Sunderman, Carla Mauderly, Treasurer; Bill Houser, President; Brian Williams, Jill Rucker, Secretary.

For the past few years, our youths were given the opportunity to attend the Teen Haven after football and basketball games. On other special occasions, it was also open. For the past two years a special dance has been held during Christmas vacation when a Miss Merry Christmas and a Mr. Happy New Year were crowned. Many students enjoyed the ping-pong tables and the juke-box at the Teen Haven.

In addition to the students on the Teen Haven Council, some adults are members. They are: Mrs. Ralph Phillips, President; Bob Brown, Vice-President; Mrs. Duane Bergren, Secretary-Treasurer; Paul Poston; Vic Herzberg; Mrs. Robert Hausen; Mrs. Kenny Oltmanns; Mrs. Jay Clark; and Mr. Jim Raney. These people served the concession stand during the Bluejay Relays.

On behalf of the whole school, many thanks go to everyone who has helped make it possible to have the Teen Haven including the ones who got it started in the years past. Thank You.

#### YR1973PG035

### To a Youth Center,

A Community Center,

And a New Theatre

The building of a community center in Villisca is just one more step toward providing all the services to the residents of our area. When discussing this project with residents, both rural and town, you find very few people who are not in favor of this endeavor, especially when it is explained in detail.

The project, when completed, would consist of a theatre, an auditorium for local programming of live theatre and local talent shows, kitchen facilities with dining area, a coke bar and Teen Haven, meeting rooms for various civic organizations and if the need ever arose, a 62 and over club room for women.

To assist in the planning of such a facility a committee was formed consisting of one member each from the following organizations:

Teen Haven Board Chuck Gifford

Park Board Clyde Pershing

City Council Glen Greenfield

Telephone Board Verne Watts

Library Board Mrs. Tom Enarson

School Board Ralph Phillips

Villisca Churches Nursing Home Inc Roger Posten

Villisca Industrial Development Corp Kenny Oltmanns

Villisca Community Roberta Dickey

V. E. A. Dwight Lewis

Chamber of Commerce Fred Eno

These people were the incorporators in a Non-Profit corporation called Villisca Restoration Inc. The Corp. upon completion of community and youth center would also like to form a historical society. Our corp. is existing for the sole purpose of promoting the recreational and cultural medium of Villisca and the surrounding area. Any individual can become a member of the Corp. by requesting to do so in writing. Group started laying plans for the project in late Spring of 1972.

#### YR1973PG036

Librarians Club

Robin Strand, Treasurer; Marsha Roberts, Secretary; Dorothy Thomas, Vice-President; Connie Smith, President; Mrs. Paxson, Sponsor.

Math Club

Arnold Dicks, Secretary-Treasurer; Starr Brown, President; Ralph Phillip, Vice-President; Mr. Niedermeyer, Sponsor.

#### YR1973PG037

**Annual Staff** 

Seated: Julie Jacobs, Sally Schenck, Carol Rusk, Jeanne Bashaw, Liz Moestchen, Starr Brown, Gail Stein, Carol Lewis. Standing: Doug Gray, Gary Clark, Steve Johnson, Lori Bergren, Ralph Phillip, Mr. Paul Barker. Volcano Staff

1st Row: Cliff Shipley, Tammi O'Roarke, Linda Marsh, Elaine Hess, Steve Johnson. 2nd Row: Mr. Marc Rogge, Cheryl Hampel, Diane Carlson, Sheri Pond, Dixie Laire. 3rd Row: Becky Grashorn, Gail Stein, Sheila Fryer, Nick Taylor, Joyce Weichmann. 4th Row: David Skahill, John Hausen, Dallas Maxwell, Jerry Baker, Gene Gulick, Russell Wilson.

#### YR1973PG038

Marching Band Concert Band Stage Band

#### YR1973PG039

BAND COUNCIL: Kay Lewis, Donna Skahill, Diane Haley, Ralph Phillips, Steve Johnson, and Carol Lewis, President.

OUTSTANDING BANDSMEN: Carol Lewis and Steve Johnson.

We had a pretty good year in band. The group was fewer in number than in previous years, but didn't lack in spirit or determination.

Marching season proved to be very successful with I ratings coming from both State Contest and Plattsmouth, a first place finish at Clarinda, and a second place finish. at Mt. Ayr. Band Queen this year was Carol Lewis who represented us very well at Clarinda and Mt. Ayr.

The concert band spent most of its time preparing for concerts (naturally) such as the Christmas Concert, Parade of Bands, and Honors Concert. Between concerts we had to squeeze in first, small group contest and then, large group contest where we received a II.

The Stage Band was very active this year with the highlight being an overnight trip to a contest in Washington, Iowa. We also competed at Jefferson and at Creston where we received a second place finish. A special three hour "jam session" wrapped it up for this year's stage band.

Along with these things went performances at the half times of the football and basketball games, pep rallies, Homecoming Parade, Veteran's Day, Commencement, and Memorial Day.

Then there are always the things a band member never forgets early morning practices, marching contests the day after a football game, endless hours of riding on a bus which were accompanied by the same endless hours of fun, playing for Memorial Day, and all the good times that we had.

Into an organization such as this go hours of hard work and dedication by students and director. And out of it come fond memories and a certain amount of unity that develops between the people involved. This page sponsored by DON MOORE MUSIC, INC.

#### YR1973PG040

1972 Band Queen, Carol Lewis Her Court Debbie Carol Linda Diane

## YR1973PG041

Miss Merry Christmas And

Mr. Happy New Year

Diane Haley

Ken Jacobs

Candidates: Mark Raney, Carol Lewis, Randy Raney, Barb Franson, Susan Hausen, Lynn Shearer, Carla Mauderly, Byron Sunderman.

#### YR1973PG042

Chorus

Swing Choir

#### YR1973PG043

All-School Chorus

Council: Seated: Carolyn Cassidy, Debbie Rupp. Standing: Margie Moates, Carol Rusk, Liz Moestchen, and Sheila Fryer.

Outstanding Vocalist: Carolyn Cassidy.

#### YR1973PG044

Lettermen's Club

President, Dave Rhamy (not pictured); Vice-President, Byron Sunderman; Secretary-Treasurer, Lori Lovig; Mr. Nardini. Sponsor.

FCA

Program Director, Tom Schafer; Vice-President, Ralph Philip; President, Dallas Maxwell; Mr. Boehland, Sponsor.

#### YR1973PG045

#### VILLISCA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

" . . . THE ONE GRE AT SCORER MARKS: NOT THAT YOU WON OR LOST BUT HOW YOU PLAYED THE GAME" Sports

#### YR1973PG046

Football

Scoreboard

Cumberland-Massena	14	V illisca	0
Mt. Ayr	6	Villisca	12
Lenox	20	Villisca	12
Greenfield	26	V illisca	0
Corning	18	V illisca	8 Homecoming
East Union	6	V illisca	0
Bedford	26	V illisca	6
Griswold	20	V illisca	8

The Villisca Bluejays closed out a disappointing season with a 1-7 record. The Bluejays finished in a last place tie in the Tall Corn Conference with a 1-5 record. Steve Scanlan and Richard Fast were Honorable Mention All Southwest Iowa and twelve other Bluejays were honored on the All-Conference teams. Richard Fast was a first and second team pick at defensive guard and offensive guard respectively. Arnold and Alan Dicks, Steve Scanlan, Mark Raney, Dave Rhamy, and Ralph Phillips were all second team selections and Byron Sunderman, Ken Jacobs, Mike Jergenson, and Charles Sunderman were honorable mention.

The Jays could never seem to get it together and the breaks always seemed to go the other way. It seemed that no matter what they did, things didn't turn out right. The seniors always did the best they could and had a lot of fun. It just seems winning is more fun.

### YR1973PG048

Miss Carol Lewis

1972 Homecoming Queen

#### YR1973PG049

Gloria Stalder Diane Haley
Barb Franson Lori Lovig

#### YR1973PG050

Homecoming

October 6,1972

Coronation

Crown Bearer -- Brad Sunderman Flower Bearer -- Julie Hummel

Pep Rally

### YR1973PG051

Parade

1st Place--Junior Class

Sophomore Class Float

2nd Place - - Senior Class

Freshman Class Float

Game

#### YR1973PG052

#### Dance

Featuring "Time Ltd."

Parent's Night Bonfire

### YR1973PG053

Football Cheerleaders

Varsity--Connie Mauderly, Debbie Motsinger, Carol Lewis, Lori Lovig, Sheila Fryer, Ann Johnson.

Jr. Varsity--Margaret Marsh, Liz Moestchen, Julie Jacobs, Kay Lewis.

### YR1973PG054

#### Cross Country

Doug Gray, John Kernen, David Skahill, Gary Clark, John Saikaly, Mike Chaney, Dana Neal, (not pictured, Jeff Beckett).

### YR1973PG055

Fall Softball

#### YR1973PG056

Girls Basketball

Back Row: Mr. Hummel, Susie Honeyman, Sally Schenck, Liz Moestchen, Nancy Harper, Ann Schafer, Diane Haley, Denise Rhamy, Mr. Niedermeyer. Front Row: Susan Hausen, Julie Watts, Carol Rusk, Kathy Haley, Kathy Scott, Becky Grashorn, Carolyn Cassidy.

Back Row: Mr. Niedermeyer, Becky Patterson, Susie Phillip, Sarah Darnold, Twyla Schrader, Gretta McKinley, Linda Marsh, LaVerna Black. Front Row: Kay Lewis, Julie Jacobs, Julie Watts, Donna Skahill, Sally Schenck, Gale

Hess, Cheryl Hampel.

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#### YR1973PG058

#### **Boys Basketball**

VARSITY: Coach Gary Fowler, Nick Taylor, Mark Poston, Brent Sunderman, Mike Gourley, Dallas Maxwell, John Kernen, Carl Anderson, Jeff Fast, Managers; Chris Shapcott, and Culby Cassidy.

JR. VARSITY: Back Row: Manager Chris Shapcott, Mike Schafer, Jeff Beckett, Jerry Baker, Paul Bangston, Tony Marsh, Tom Schafer, Coach John Nardini. Front Row: Manager Culby Cassidy, Joe Fitzwater, Randy Gray, Kim Jamison, Stan Ronfeldt, and Jeff Focht.

#### YR1973PG060

Basketball Cheerleaders

Junior Varsity--Joyce Weichman, Ann Jorgenson, Margie Marsh, Susan Gulick.

Varsity--Lauri Bergren, Carol Lewis, Cathy Schuler, Carla Mauderly, Jeanne Bashaw, Lori Lovig.

#### YR1973PG061

Jose and Danny

Jose' Duailibe Murad (left), Daniel Andre' Steiner (right).

Jose' Duailibe Murad lives in St. Luis, (St. Louis) Brazil about two hundred miles south of the equator. Jose's father, Jose Murad is a doctor (cardiologist) in St. Luis and his mother, Eline is a housewife. Jose' is 16 and has two sisters, Maria 17 and Denise 11.

Jose' is a junior at Marista High School in St. Luis and attends classes from 8:00 to 12:00. School starts in March and they get out for vacation during the month of July. Classes start again in August and vacation is from December through February.

Jose' likes to play soccer which is the most popular sport in Brazil. He also enjoys volleyball and ping pong. This was the first time Jose' had been to America and what he liked most was the snow, which was something he had never seen before. Jose' is staying in the United States six months and is making his home with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watts.

Daniel Andre' Steiner comes from Rio De' Janeiro, Brazil which is on the coast line and has a population of approximately 4.5 million. Daniel's father, Josef Georg is the assistant of the Vice Director of the Mining Company called M B R. His job is to travel and sell minerals for this company all over the world. Ruth, Daniel's mother, is a housewife and he has one brother, David 14 and one sister, Monice 13.

Colegio Brasileiro De Almeida is the school which Daniel attends from August to the last of November when summer vacation starts. He then goes back to school the first of March until the end of June and then there is another month of vacation. Daniel is in his last year of pre-college studies and plans to major in engineering in college.

Daniel's favorite sports are soccer and swimming and some of his hobbies consist of collecting coins and stamps. He is a nature lover and has three dogs of his own. He visits the beach quite often and sometimes goes for long walks through the jungles of Brazil.

Daniel is making his home here in the United States during his three month stay with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith and their two children, Shelby and Brad.

#### YR1973PG062

Girls Track Boys Track

### YR1973PG064

Bluejay Relays

1973 Track Queen,

Susan Hausen

#### YR1973PG065

Track Queen and Her Court: Lori Lovig, Carol Lewis, Connie Mauderly, Queen Susan Hausen, Lori Bergren, Sarah Darnold, Flower Girl: Carmen Orstad, and Crown Bearer: Jeff Fulton.

#### YR1973PG066

Golf Teams

#### YR1973PG067

Baseball

#### YR1973PG068

Athletic Banquet

Sportsmanship Award: Carolyn Cassidy and Steven Scanlon

Guest Speaker: Carl Eller

Master of Ceremonies: Ralph Phillip

### YR1973PG069

VILLISCA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS T.: VARIETY SHOW PROM FEB. 27

PROM APRIL 28 AWARDS MAY 14 GRADUATION MAY 15

Memories

### YR1973PG070

Variety Show

### YR1973PG072

Jr. and Sr. Banquet And Prom

April 29, 1973

At the Banquet, Nick Taylor, Junior Class President, gave the Welcome; Mark Raney, Senior Class President, gave the Response; and Rev. Ray Foster gave the Prayer.

After the dance, a show, "The Sterile Cuckoo" was shown at the theater. The Seniors sponsored a breakfast following the show.

Waitresses: Julie Jacobs, Kay Lewis, Julie Watts, Margie Marsh, and Sarah Darnold. Waiters: John Hausen, Tom Schafer, Jerry Baker, Tony Marsh, and Rich Fast.

#### YR1973PG07

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY: Starr Brown, Debbie Rupp, Carol Lewis, Anne Schafer, Gary Clark, Steve Johnson, Skip Fitzwater, and Steve Scanlon.

SALUTATORIAN: Anne Schafer. VALEDICTORIAN: Starr Brown.

VALEDICTORIAN: Starr Brow

# YR1973PG076

Graduation

#### YR1973PG077

May 15, 1973

### YR1973PG078

### In Memory

In fond memory of Rick McAlpin, a frieid of all of us. Rick was active in many activities and excelled expecially in track as a pole vaulter. His wit and humor will be missed by us all.

#### YR1973PG079

VILLISCA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS ADMINISTRATION - BOARD FACULTY - COOKS -JANITORS BUS DRIVERS - SECRETARIES

### YR1973PG080

#### Administration

Mr. J. R. Henderson, Superintendent Mrs. Carolyn Harris, Secretary Mrs. Carol Greenfield, Secretary Mr. Robert Baxter, Principal

### YR1973PG081

#### School Board

Seated, left to right: Willis Marvick, J. R. Henderson, Roberta Dickey. Standing: Chuck Crouse, Bud Phillips, Glen Findley, Dean Sunderman.

Willis Marvick, president of our Board is the senior board member and has served since 1967. His term expires in 1973. Willis works for the Post Office and has lived in Villisca all his life. His children have all attended and graduated from the Villisca Schools.

J. R. Henderson was hired as Superintendent to the Villisca Schools in 1969. J. R. has three children. Two of his children, Joan who attends school at Nodaway and Diane who graduated in 1971, have attended Villisca schools. Before coming to Villisca, Mr. Henderson served as Superintendent of schools at Lamoni. Roberta Dickey is the School Board Secretary. Her two daughters, Carol and Kinney, have attended Villisca Schools and have graduated in 1968 and 1970, respectively. Her two sons, Brad and Brian, presently attend Villisca Schools.

Chuck Crouse lives on a farm north of old highway 34. His term on the Board runs from 1971 to 1974. Chuck has two children, Amy and Brett, now in school.

Ralph (Bud) Phillips lives on a farm north of town and took office as board member in 1970. He has two children, Ralph and Susan, in school and his term expires this year.

Glen Findley was appointed to complete Wendell Pollock's unexpired term in 1971. Glen later was elected to serve a term from 1972 to 1975. His youngest child, Joy, is presently in school and his other two children graduated from Villisca High School. Glen operates a service station in Tenville.

Dean Sunderman lives on a farm near Nodaway and started serving on the Board in 1969. His term expires in 1975. Dean has six children. Byron graduated this year and Brent, Bryce, and Blain are school age and are attending the Villisca school at the present time.

## YR1973PG082

### Faculty

Mr. Paul Barker Business Law Bookkeeping Shorthand Secretarial Practice Mr. John Nardini World History American Problems Athletic Director Coach Mr. Gary Fowler Algebra I Basketball Coach

Mr. Wayne Chaney Physical Science Chemistry Senior Science

Mr. Mel Boehland Freshman Biology Physical Education Football & Track Coach

#### YR1973PG083

Mr. Dwight Lewis Guidance Counselor

Mr. Marc Rogge English Journalism

Mrs. Linda Pearson Art

Mrs. Zelma Paxson Librarian Home Economics

Mr. William Miller Vocal Music

#### YR1973PG084

Mr. Tom Nugent Instrumental Music

Mr. Joel Patterson Spanish English

Mrs. Helen Sutphen School Nurse

Mr. Tom Niedermeyer General Math Algebra II Geometry Senior Math Coach

Mr. Carl Johnson Molecular Biology Earth Science Coach

#### YR1973PG085

Mr. Charles Gifford Senior Social Studies Seminar Contemporary Social Problems American History

Mrs. Kim Smith Speech English

Mrs. Marilyn Carlson Physical Education

Mrs. Norma Fisher Typing

Mr. Larry Hummel Woodworking/Carpentry Metalworking/Power Mechanics Mechanical/Architectural -

Drafting Driver's Education Basketball Coach

Mr. Dale Spencer Vocational Agriculture

### YR1973PG086

Student Secretaries

PRINCIPAL'S AND SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE:1st Row, left to right: Ann Johnson, Debbie Rupp, Debbie Oltmanns. 2nd Row: Elaine Hess, Denise Rhamy. Not Pictured: Tami O'Rourke, Culby Cassidy, Nick Taylor, Kathy Scott.

FACULTY: 1st Row, left to right: Barb Franson, Lori Lovig, Lori Bergren. 2nd Row: Sheila Fryer, Jill Rucker, Donna Skahill, Susan Hausen. Not Pictured: Gloria Stalder, Linda Marsh.

#### YR1973PG087

### Cooks

Left to Right: Hilda Minge, Elvera Peterson, Mildred Doan, Irma Brannan, and Edna Weaver.

Janitors

Left to Right: Paul Northup, Jerry Cooper, Joe Shields, and Marvin Harris.

**Bus Drivers** 

Left to Right: Joe Shields, John Kemery, Drexel Dukes, Lawrence Lewis, James Bewley, John Frazee, Manford Sanders, Lois Frazee, Don Wirth, and Loretta Phillis.

# YR1973PG088

Memories

For

Everyone

### YR1973PG089

Memories

"Remember When . . .?"

"Do You Remember . . .?"

"Good-bye"

"See You Soon"

"Don't Ever Forget. .

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#### YR1974PG002

#### Dedication

A quiet, unassuming man who "just" does his job often goes unnoticed. In fact, like an athlete, the better he is at his work, the more simple and effortless his work seems, and the more we take him for granted. We would like to show our appreciation to a man like this, whose ability and humility have been taken for granted for 26 years. Because he has dedicated himself to us, we dedicate the 1974 BlueJay to Mr. John

Mr. Frazee was Villisca's first bus manager and over the last 18 years, he's built the position from scratch until the bus department is better equipped and organized than most in the state. As bus manager he took responsibility for all the discipline problems between the drivers and students and often had to smoothe out disagreemants between angry parents and drivers. He constantly checked the busses and made minor repairs to make sure they were as safe to ride in as possible, and every year he devised new bus routes to fit the changing enrollment. If anything needed to be done at odd hours, Mr. Frazee was the one who did it, and during every snow storm he took it on himself to take a bus out at 4 A.M. to make sure the roads were safe for

Perhaps, though, the service that we're most grateful for, and the goal he's strived hardest for, is his record of driving us, our friends, and our families, for 26 years without an accident. Thank you, Mr. Frazee.

### YR1974PG003

#### Foreword

There is more to learning than simply gathering existing knowledge and memorizing and recalling content. Learning is the ability to think for yourself, to make wise choices and decisions, to understand relationships with others, and to search out the unknown.

In the words of George Bernard Shaw, "You see things as they are; and you ask "why?" But I dream things that never were and I ask "Why not?"

We hope the Villisca Community School District faculty--kindergarten through graduation--has prepared YOU to ask "why" and "why not. "

### YR1974PG004

### To the VHS Students:

The 1974 Bluejay is done at last. This year's annual, with more copy and more activities pictured, serves as a permanent record of VHS highlights during 1973-74. After many long hours of selling ads. planning pages. taking and developing pictures, and putting everything together, we can finally say we are finished. We would like to thank all the people who helped make this annual possible. The biggest thank-you goes to Mr. Barker for being our sponsor and helping us get started again after switching publishing companies in the middle of the year. He has spent just as many hours working on this annual, if not more, as any of us. Also we would like to thank all the merchants of Villisca, Corning, Red Oak, Clarinda, Grant, and Nodaway who supported us by buying ads. And we couldn't have gotten along without Mr. Baldwin of Stern Studios taking many of our pictures, or without the teachers letting us interrupt their classes to take pictures. Finally we would like to thank the students of VHS for buying the annual ahead of time and for letting us take their pictures. To all these people--thank you.

We hope this book will be used as a memory book for right now and for a reminder of our high school days in years to come.

Sincerely,

The Bluejay Staff Editor: Ralph Phillip

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Organizations

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#### Annual Staff

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Student Council

Mr, Lewis, Sponsor; Nancy Harper, Secretary; Julie Watts, Treasurer; John Hauser, Vice-President; Ralph Phillip, President.

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Librarians' Club

Sherry Priest, Secretary-Treasurer; Jann Perry, Vice-President; Marge Moates, President; Mrs. Paxson, Sponsor.

Lettermen's Club

Mr, Nardini, Sponsor; Curtis Bradley, President (not pictured); Tony Marsh, Vice-President; Debb Motsinger, Secretary-Treasurer.

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Spanish Club

Sponsor; Mr. Patterson, Officers; Pres., Susie Honeyman, Vice Pres., Lauri Bergren, Sec., Ann Jergenson, Treas., Nick Taylor.

The Bluejay Perch

The BlueJay Perch, only a dream a year ago, is now in full swing. Villisca's community center occupies the old bakery and serves the town two-fold: the front two rooms are used as a youth center occupied by booths, food vending machines, and amusements; the rear section provides a meeting hall complete with kitchen facilities.

Terry and Sharon King oversee the enterprise during open hours, with Mr. Gifford of VHS as consultant. The entire BlueJay Perch was only possible because of the generosity of many local individuals, groups, and school clubs.

#### YR1974PG009

Volcano Staff

First Semester, First row: Mr. Rogge, Advisor; Sarah Darnold, Gail Stein, Donna Skahill. Second row: Tom Fengel, Tony Marsh, Jeff Fast, Kathy Sheilds, Mike Bowling, Dennis Gray, Jeff Beckett, Russell Wilson, John Saikaly. Third row: Debb Motsinger, Sheri Pond, Cheryl Hampel, Becky Grashorn, Marge Moates, Dixie Laire, La-Verna Black, Dianne Dumler.

Second Semester, First row: Dixie Laire, LaVerna Black, Marge Moates, Sheri Pond, Becky Grashorn, Cheryl Hampel, Gail Stein, Sarah Darnold. Second row: John Saikaly, Barry Leichty, Kris Jackson, Stan Shipley, Dana

Neal, Tony Marsh. Third Row: Mr. Rogge, Advisor; Jeff Fast, Tom Fengel, Gordon McAlpin, Rich Fast, Tom Schafer, Jeff Beckett.

#### YR1974PG010

Science-Math Club

Mr. Myers, sponsor; Rich Fast, vice-president; Carol Rusk, treasurer; Nick Taylor, president; Denise Rhamy, secretary; Mr. Niedermeyer, sponsor.

Pep Club

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Y-Teens

Mrs. Carlson, sponsor; Carol Rusk, co-president; Gail Stein, co-president; Connie Mauderly, vice-president; Denise Rhamy, secretary; Liz Moestchen, treasurer; Mr. Gifford, sponsor (not pictured).

Cabinet

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Miss Y-Teen, Carol Rusk

Debbie Denise Connie Sheri Connie Gail

### YR1974PG014

FFA

FFA Officers: President, Brent Sunderman; Vice President, Greg Taylor; Secretary, Bruce Williams; Treasurer, Kim Jamison & Randy Garey; Co-Reporters, John Hausen & Richard Fast; Co-Sentinels, Bill Houser & Duane Bergren; Parliamentarian, Joe Fitzwater; Point System Chairman, Jeff Focht; Advisor, Mr, Chris Nelson.

#### YR1974PG015

FFA Queen Candidates

FFA Sweetheart Dance

"Farmer Nelson"

Feed Judging

Speaker Congressman William Scherle pictured with FFA Banquet Master of Ceremonies; Bill Houser. The Reno Smith Chapter awarded Joe Fitzwater the Star Chapter Farmer Award and freshman Bill Shipley and Jim Sands the Star Greenhand Awards.

Congressman Scherle with recipients of the Distinguished Service Award; Mrs. Lee Houser and Mrs. Carolyn Harris

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Cathy Debbie Ann Denise Susan Hausen, FFA Sweetheart

#### YR1974PG017

Debbie Motsinger, Band Queen Becky Carol Jeanne Ann

### YR1974PG018

Looking back over the year, band members reflect upon many fond memories. Like every other year, it was a busy but successful one.

Our season started out with continuous work and early practices. These proved to be beneficial as we received 1st place in Class B at Clarinda, a I rating at State Marching Contest, and a II rating at Plattsmouth. The

marching band also performed at home football games and marched in the Homecoming Parade.

Concert Band spent all its time getting ready for concerts: Christmas Concert, Winter Concert, Parade of Bands Concert, and Honors Concert. Along with all these, we played at the Veterans Day Program, Commencement, and Memorial Day Services. The band also participated in the State Large Group Contest where a II rating was received.

Stage Band was active this year as in previous years. The stage band participated in jazz festivals at Creston, Washington, and Jefferson. They also played at all the concerts. The highlight of the year was a 3 hour Jam Session, featuring alumni stage band members and special guests.

Having completed a memorable year, the band members feel they accomplished the goals they set for themselves. The underclassmen look forward to another year of development and competition.

Band Council, Front row: Paul Bangston, Drum Major; Bill Houser, Pres. Back row: Marty Kernen, Mike Chaney, Julie Jacobs, and Jeanne Bashaw.

Outstanding Bandsmen: Mike Chaney, Carol Rusk, and Bill Houser.

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#### YR1974PG019

Concert Band Stage Band Marching Band

#### YR1974PG020

CHOIR

GLEE

**SWING CHOIR** 

# YR1974PG021

# **OFFICERS**

ACTIVITIES

The chorus, for the first time in several years, has been very active this year. They sang for the Veteran's Day program and had many of its members participate in the Variety Show in groups and in solos. In addition to these they also gave 3 concerts and attended State Small and Large Group Contests. Not only did they attend these activities, but they made a good showing for themselves.

They owe much of their achievement this year to their new director this year Miss Carolyn Reints. Her enthusiasm was vital to the chorus this year and she will be missed greatly next year.

#### YR1974PG023

Variety Show

### YR1974PG024

All School Play

Carla beautifies Cheryl?

John and Rich clear the stage of "dead" weight

The Oral Inter. Class acts busy

Sarah puts the "make" on Dale

Sheri ponders "To poison or not to poison"

For the first time in many years, Villisca High School put on an all school play. This year's play, "Bull in a China Shop", was directed by Mr. and Mrs. Roger Haworth. This play was a mystery-comedy with Dale Danielson in the lead role as Dennis O'Finn. The rest of the cast included Chris Shapcott as Assistant Detective Kramer, Sheryl Pond, Kay Lewis, Diane Carlson, Dixie Laire, Cheryl King, and Connie Marsh as the little old ladies around

whom the story revolved, Sarah Darnold as the reporter who became an arch rival to the old ladies for O'Finn's favors, and John Hausen, Rich Fast, and Kim Jamison played supporting roles.

Make-up was handled by the Oral Interpretation class under the guiding hand of Kim Smith.

The play was a rousing success due to hard work on the part of both the cast and the Haworths. We hope that a school play will become an annual event for V.H.S.

### YR1974PG025

Sports

#### YR1974PG026

Football 1973

First row: Mike Schafer, Mark Posten, Brent Sunderman, Rich Fast, Greg Taylor, Ralph Phillip, Bruce Williams, Bill Houser, Lynn Shearer. Second row: Gary Haley, Joe Fitzwater, Jeff Brown, Donny Marsh, Jerry Baker, Tom Schafer, Tony Marsh, Stan Shipley, Kim Jamison, John Hausen. Third row: Kenny Smith, John Schafer, Brian Williams, Ray Gourley, Chuck Fast, Rich Northup, Duane Finch, Jim Herzberg, Tom Darnold, Tim Schroeder. Fourth row: Bryce Franson, Bryce Sunderman, Brad Dickey, Joe Williams, Culby Cassidy, Terry Westerlund, Randy Penwell, Kenny Oltmanns, Eddie Saikaly. Fifth row: Randy Sprague, Manager; Coach Marc Rogge; Coach John Nardini; Victor Spencer, Kent Gage, Curtis Bradley, Head Coach Carl Johnson; Coach Tom Niedermeyer; Jeff Salway. Manager.

The 1973 Bluejay football team came up with one of the best seasons in V.H.S. history. As the year ended the Jays had won 6 and lost only 2. The Rhinos, the team nickname because of its large players, featured an explosive offensive that churned out 5 yds. per play and averaged 28 points a game.

The stingy Jays defense held the opposition to 2.5 yds. per play and a mere 8 points per game. The Jays were well represented when all-conference selections came around. Every regular on the team earned a place on the all-conference roster. Rich Fast and Tony Marsh led the charge as they were selected to both 1st teams offensive and defensive. Rich was also selected to the 1st team all-Southwest Iowa. Ralph Phillip and Brent Sunderman rounded out the Bluejays 1st team selections on defense. Bill Houser and Lynn Shearer represented the Jays offensive on the 2nd team. The rest of the regulars earned honorable mention selections at their respectable positions.

Game OPP. Villisca Elk-Horn 0 Mt. Ayr 0 49 6 12 (OT) Lenox Greenfield 41 20 Corning 14 6 East Union 6 21 Bedford 0 49 Griswold 0 27

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Miss Connie Mauderly 1973 Homecoming Queen

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DENISE RHAMY ANN JOHNSON SUSAN HAUSEN DEBBIE MOTSINGER

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1973 Homecoming

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#### 1973 Homecoming

Homecoming, 1973, was a big success. Thursday night's Coronation kicked off festivities with Connie Mauderly being crowned queen. The excitement continued with Friday afternoon's parade. The juniors won the float competition, followed by the jr. high in 2nd, and the seniors in 3rd place. A Spirit Fair, put on by the cheerleaders, followed with pie-throwing, car-smashing, and a bake sale. Friday evening the Jays earned another victory defeating East Union 20-6. The night ended with Shelter playing at the Homecoming Dance.

#### YR1974PG032

Bon Fire

And

Parents Night

#### YR1974PG033

Fall Softball

Fall Softball, First row: Julie Jacobs, Catcher; Donna Skahill, Center field; Kathy Scott, Pitcher; Kathy Kerr, Utility; Pam Grashorn, Utility. Second row: Coach Hummel, Nancy Harper, First Base; Kathy Haley, Shortstop; Denise Rhamy, Second base; Becky Grashorn, Third base; Patty Hall, Right field; Sally Schenck, left field. Coached by Mr. Larry Hummel for the second year the 1973 Fall Softball team finished the season with a record of one win and three losses. The record may not sound impressive, but the team showed much improvement during the season. The Jayettes were defeated by Stanton in first round of the sectional tournaments.

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Girls' Basketball

VARSITY--Front row: Susan Hausen, Becky Grasshorn, Denise Rhamy, Nancy Harper, Susie Honeyman, Kathy Haley. Back row: Coach Larry Hummel, Liz Moestchen, Becky Patterson, Sarah Darnold, Kathy Kerr, Donna Skahill, Julie Jacobs, Julie Watts, Janie Gray, Shelly Wright, Asst. Tom Niedermyer,

JUNIOR VARSITY--Front row: Janie Gray, Sarah Darnold, Becky Patterson, Julie Jacobs, Kathy Kerr, Julie Watts, Shelly Wright. Back row: Coach Tom Niedermyer, Pam Grasshorn, Nancy Leichty, Twyla Schrader, Jeanna Hampel, Denise Walters, Marty Kernen, Janet Shipley, Marsha Schrader,

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### YR1974PG035

Bedford

Stanton Squad

East Union

Stanton

Bedford J.V.

Corning

Corning

Intersquad

### YR1974PG036

**Boys Basketball** 

VARSITY: Back row: Coach John Nardini, Nick Taylor, Jerry Baker, Paul Bangston, Bruce Williams, Mark Poston, Tom Schafer. Front row: Jeff Fast, \* Mike Schafer, Brian Williams, Brent Sunderman and Lonnie Grashorn. \* JR. VARSITY: Front row: Coach Marc Rogge, Jim Sands, .Jeff Focht, Rick Weaver,\* Steve Solt, Kevin Anderson. Back row: John Schafer, Kim Jamison, Tom Darnold, Randy Penwell, Brice Sunderman, Terry Westerland, and Joe Williams.

\*Did not complete the regular season. Paul Bangston, though pictured in Varsity, aided the JV during the season. Early in the year, Carl Johnson assumed the position of JV coach.

#### YR1974PG037

The Bluejay basketball team ended its 1973-74 season with a 6-10 reward. Not fantastic, but four more wins than Villisca has seen in the past two years combined. Coach Nardini's first year as varsity coach has relieved a two-year drought in conference wins. Falling to Villisca were Greenfield, Nishna Valley, Stanton, Farragut, and Lenox twice. The Jays had high hopes for the sectionals but Stanton proved to be tougher than in the Jays first game of the season.

Mike Schafer and Nick Taylor led the team in scoring, earning an average of 12 and 11 points per game. Bruce Williams controlled the boards with an average of 10 rebounds per game, followed by Jerry Baker with 8. Mike, Nick, Bruce, and Jerry also received Honorable Mention recognition in the Tall Corn Conference. Most valuable player award, voted on by the eight varsity players, went to senior Nick Taylor.

#### YR1974PG038

### 1973-74 Cheerleading

Varsity Cheerleaders for this year were: Laurie Bergren, Kay Lewis, Connie Marsh, Debbie Motsinger, Cathy Schuler, and Ann Johnson. They cheered at all football and basketball games, planned many pep assemblies, and did many other jobs such as making posters, cleaning trophy cases, and decorating for the athletic banquet.

#### YR1974PG039

J.V. cheerleaders for this year were: Denise Winther, Margret Marsh, Linda Rubin, and Trudy Greenfield.

### YR1974PG040

**Boys Track** 

The 1974 Boy's Track season could be considered unsuccessful by many people, except by those who were on the team.

The squad was very small in comparison to past Villisca teams. It consisted of mainly freshman and sophmores and only a handful of juniors and seniors to provide a base. The team never won a major meet, but they continued to improve their times and distances. The squad was sometimes off their best performances but never by much. They always did the best they could which is what track or any sport is all about.

The team had only one member attend the STATE TRACK MEET at Des Moines this year, Ralph Phillip. He came up with a third place in the discus. He also set a new school record in the discus at 153' 6". Although the team didn't produce any big wins, the season provided a solid basis for Villisca track for the

#### YR1974PG042

next couple years.

Girls Track

Front row: Julie Wilhelm\*, Julie Jacobs, Jani Gray, Jeanna Hampel, Becky Grashorn, Susie Honeyman, Carol Rusk. Back row: Sally Schenck, Becky Patterson, Margaret Marsh, Kathy Kerr, Sue Scott\*, Pam Grashorn.

Pictured on the left is the 440 and 880 relay team which both placed 2nd in the Jayette Relays, and the track

coach, Larry Hummel. The 400 Meter shuttle relay team, consisting of Becky Patterson, Sally Schenck, Becky Grashorn, and Susie Honeyman, broke the school's existing record this year. Other outstanding efforts included Kathy Kerr in the 220 hurdles and Susie Honeymari in the shot-put.

(\* did not complete the season)

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Bluejay Relays

At the 1974 Bluejay Relays, Mr. and Mrs. David McAlpin donated a row of benches to be used on the football field, in memory of their son, Rick McAlpin.

The Queen and Her Court: Connie Mauderly, Lauri Bergren, Queen, Cathy Schuler, Carla Mauderly, Sarah Darnold, Marty Kernen, Crown bearer, Billy Petty, Flower girl, Michelle King.

1974 Track Queen

Cathy Schuler

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Golf

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Our Swingin' Golfers

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Summer Softball

Front row: Diane Herzberg, Sheri Rubin, Trudy Greenfield, Shelly Wright, Nancy Leichty, Gail Cassidy, Cindy Baldwin, Pam Grashorn, Tracy Greenfield. Back row: Vince Else, Coach; Becky Grashorn, Kathy Haley, Julie Jacobs, Sarah Darnold, Janie Gray, Diane Ross, Diane Jenkins, Karen Rhamy. Not Present: Patty Hall, Marcia Forsythe.

Attention, Girls!

This is your coach speaking.

Girls?!

#### YR1974PG049

Summer Baseball

Front row: Jeff Focht, Brent Sunderman, Bill Houser, Mark Poston, Bruce Williams, Paul Bangston, John Hausen, Tom Darnold, Jeff Beckett, Bryce Sunderman. Back Row: Jon Schafer, Randy Sprague, Jim Sands, Bryan Williams, Joe Williams, Randy Gray, Jeff Salway, Steve Solt, Randy Penwell, Marc Stephens, Dave Wheeler, Coach.

A baseball? Gee, there was one here a minute ago!

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1974 Athletic Banquet

Theme of the 1974 Athletic Banquet was "Days of Success and Challenge." Pictured above at the head table is the guest speaker, Warren Swain, sports director of the radio station K.M. A.

Coach Carl Johnson is handing out football awards to Mark Posten and Curtis Bradley.

Ann Johnson, Lauri Bergren, Kay Lewis, Cathy Schuler, Debbie Motsinger and Connie Mauderly have just received their cheer-leading awards presented by Mr. Chuck Gifford.

Mr. Tom Niedermeyer is getting ready to present junior varsity basketball letters.

### YR1974PG051

Sportsmanship Awards

Miss Susie Honeyman and Mr. Bill Houser received the 1974 Outstanding Sportsmanship Award. This award goes to the senior girl and boy who displayed the greatest sportsmanship during their high school career as voted by their coaches.

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Underclassmen

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Freshmen

Sponsors, not pictured: Mr. Nugent, Mrs. Carlson, Mr. Nelson.

Donnie Marsh, Pres., Denice Winther, V-Pres., Jim Sand, Sec., Bryce Sunderman, Treas.,

Gail Baldwin David Boggess Jeff Brown

Jerry Archer Debbie Doan Bobby Dumler Karl Enarson

Ray Agnew Kevin Anderson Myra Bryce Franson Cathy Garey Doug Garey

Bernard Cerven Debbie Clark Charlene Franklin Susan Armstrong Trudy Greenfield Kathy Grimit Patty Hall

Chuck Fast Mark Focht Tom Darnold

Joe Goff Ray Gourley Pam Grashorn Charlotte Franklin

Janie Gray

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Jeanna Hampel Jeff Hess Rhonda Holt Pam Jett Patty Johnson Cheryl King

Mickey Kiny Nancy Leichty Mickie McCuen Tammy Marsh Jerry Mattson Marilyn Moore Richard Northup

Jim Parker David Penwell Linda Rubin Sharon Rusk Eddie Saikaly Jeff Salway

Shala Salway John Schafer Janet Perry Tim Schroeder Bill Shipley Janet Shipley Elsie Smith

 $Kenny\ Smith\ Steve\ Solt\ Marcia\ Schrader\ Randy\ Sprague\ Marc\ Stephens\ John\ Strand\ Dwight\ Sunderman$ 

Susie Wagner Denise Walters Terry Westerlund Joe Williams Shelley Wright

Vic Spencer Duane finch—Not Pictured

Rick Weaver

### YR1974PG056

Sophomores

Sponsors: Mr, Meyers Mrs. Smith, not pictured. Mr. Nardini

Kim Jamison, Pres.

Joe Fitzwater, V -Pres.

Jeff Focht, Sec,

Mike Schafer, Treas.

Dave Anderson

Paul Bangston

Duane Bergren

Susan Bewley

Diane Black

Carl Carlson Culby Cassidy

Sarah Darnold

Saran Darnoid

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Julie Jacobs Margaret Marsh Steve Schenck

**Brad Dickey** 

Jim Focht

Kent Gage

Jim Herzberg

Kathy Kerr

Kay Lewis

Russell Lint

Teresa Marckmann

Kenny Oltmanns

Becky Patterson

Randy Penwell

Chris Shapcott

Ronnie Simmons

Julie Watts

Brian Williams

Carol White

### YR1974PG058

Juniors

Dana Neal, Pres.

Mr. Gifford

Mr. Niedermyer Mrs. Pearson

Gordy McAlpin,

Lauri Bergren, Secretary

Liz Moestchen, treasurer

Mr. Rogge

Richard Baldwin

Vice-pres.

Jeff Beckett

Kim Beedle

Jerry Baker

Diane Dumler Jeanne Bashaw

Rich Fast

Randy Garey

LaVerna Black

Lonnie Grashorn

Jeff Fast

Alan Garey

Dennis Gray

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Randy Gray

Gary Haley

John Hausen

Gale Hess

Ann Jergenson

Frieda Kasha

Dixie Laire

Barry Leichty

Tone Marsh

Carla Mauderly

Susie Phillips

Terry Ross

John Saikly

Tom Schafer

TOTTI SCHAFET

Sally Schenck

Twyla Schrader

Stan Shipley

Donna Skahill

Joyce Wiechman

Russel Wilson

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**Magazines Sales** 

Prom Work

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Memories

#### YR1974PG062

April 27, 1974

Jr. and Sr. Banquet And Prom

Waiters: Duane Bergren, Mike Schafer, Paul Bangston, Jeff Focht, Joe Fitzwater, Kim Jamison.

Waitresses: Debbie Clark, Denice Winther, Nancy Leichty, Marty Kernen, Trudy Greenfield, Shelley Wright.

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The Junior-Senior Prom, hosted by the Class of '75, centered on the theme "Seasons in the Sun." Activities began with a banquet served in the high school gym. Following this, a dance was held at the armory; "Odyssey" provided the music for Prom and walls were decorated with murals of the four seasons. For night owls, "Love, Pain, and the Whole Damn Thing" was shown at the Rialto with the customary breakfast by the senior mothers finishing the night's festivities.

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Senior Awards

Gail Stein

Annual Award for photography and

service

Scholarship from Northwest Missouri

State University

Hy-Vee Scholarship

Y-Teen Scholarship

Sheryl Pond

Scholarship from Dana College Oscar Schroeder Scholarship

Fred Scholey

American Citizenship Award from the Montgomery County and Iowa State Bar Association.

The Master of Ceremonies for the Awards Night was Miss Susie Phillip, Student Council President 1974-75 The National Honor Society was presented by Principal Mr. Ronald L. Rubin to: Sheila Fryer, Denise Rhamy, Becky Grashorn, Bruce Williams, Gail Stein, Nick Taylor, Connie Mauderly, Ralph Phillip, Bill Houser, Sheryl Pond, and Carol Rusk.

State of Iowa Scholars was presented by Mr. Ronald Rubin to Ralph Phillip, Nick Taylor, Carol Rusk, and Gail Stein

Debbie Oltmanns received the Scholarship from Iowa Western Community College. Lynn Shearer received a Scholarship from Iowa Northwestern College. Phillip Peterson, Carol Rusk, Connie Mauderly, Diane Carlson, and Mike Chaney received Scholarships from Northwest Missouri State University.

The Librarian's Award presented by Mrs. Zelma Paxon went to Marjorie Moates.

Mrs. Kim Smith presented the Speech Awards. Debate awards went to Sheryl Pond, Nick Taylor, Ann Johnson, and Mike Chaney. Those receiving a II rating for State Speech were Cheryl Hampel—Interpretive Poetry, Nancy Harper—Interpretive Poetry, Sheryl Pond--Dramatic Acting and Improvised Story Telling, Nick Taylor--Original Oratory, Dixie Laire-- Improvised Story Telling. Those receiving a I rating for State Speech were Becky Grashorn--Interpretive Prose, Cathy Schuler--Interpretive Prose, Jerry Baker, Humorous Acting, Kay Lewis--Interpretive Prose, Chris Shapcott--Dramatic Acting.

Bill Houser has been appointed to attend West Point Military Academy.

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Becky Grashorn Henry F. Tyler Scholarship Scholarship from Midland College

Connie Marsh Villisca Community Technical Scholarship Iowa Western Community College Scholarship Bruce Cassidy Villisca Community Technical Scholarship

Bruce Williams FFA Scholarship

Ralph Phillip Sutphen Memorial Scholarship Villisca Departmental Scholarship

Nick Taylor Villisca Departmental Scholarship Scholarship from Northwest Missouri State University

#### YR1974PG066

Commencement May 21, 1974

Commencement speakers: Sheri Pond, Becky Grashorn, Nick Taylor, Bruce Williams.

Superintendent Robert Williams presents the Class of '74 to Mr. Dean Sunderman, President of the School Board.

Honor graduates: Jeanne Goettsch, Connie Mauderly, Carol Rusk, Nick Taylor, Valedictorian, Gail Stein, Salutatorian, Bruce Williams, Ralph Phillip, Denise Rhamy, Becky Grashorn, Sheri Pond.

Dale Danielson has finally made it.

### YR1974PG067

Administration congratulates graduates.

Faculty congratulating the Class of '74.

Is it really for real?

Mike Chaney wonders if it was worth it.

A final congratulating kiss.

Senior girls preparing for the big moment.

#### YR1974PG068

Seniors

Yesterday Is Already a Dream And Tomorrow Is Only A Vision . . .

BRUCE WILLIAM "Wise and tall but thats not all" Class Officer 1,2,3, President; Student Council 1,2,4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Officer 2,3, Secretary; FCA 1,2,3; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2, 3; Golf 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Math Club 4; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Volcano Staff 3; Spanish Club 1,2.

BECKY GRASHORN "Is she as innocent as she looks, or are looks deceiving?" Class Officer 4, Vice-President; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1, 2,3,4; Cabinet 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Softball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 1,2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Volcano Staff 1, 2,3,4; Band Queen Candidate 4; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4; Librarian's Club 1,2.

CONNIE MAUDERLY "She had a good time having a good time" Class Officer 3,4, Secretary; Creston Little All-State 4; Chorus 1,2,4; Chorus Officer 4, Treasurer; Girls Glee 1,2,4; Swing Choir 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 2,3,4; Y-Teen Officer 4, Vice President; Musical Review 3,4; Letterman's Club 4; Science Club 1,2, 3,4; Science Club Officer Officer 3,4, Secretary; Teen Haven Board 2; Teen Haven Board Officer 2, President; Homecoming Queen 4; candidate 4; Cheerleading 2,3,4; Office Secretary 2; Librarian's Club 1; Advisory Board 1; Track Queen Candidate 3.

SUSIE HONEYMAN "You don't have to hang from a tree to be a nut" Class Officer 4, Treasurer; Concert Band 1,2; Marching Band 1,

2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 1,3,4; Drama Club 1; Track 4; Softball 1,2,4; Golf 1; Basketball 1, 2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3; Volcano Staff 3; Spanish Club Officer 3,4, Vice-President, President; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4; Faculty Secretary 3; Fall Softball 3.

#### YR1974PG069

STANLEY ARMSTRONG "God Bless the man who invented sleep!" FFA 1.

KAREN BAIN "Smile at the world and the world smiles back at you."

MIKE BOWLING "Great Balls of Fire!" FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 1; Track 1,4; Science Club 1, 2,3; Volcano Staff 4. CURTIS BRADLEY "To insure peace of mind always ignore the rules and regulations!" Concert Band 1,2; Stage Band 2; Marching Band 1,2; FFA 1,2,3,4; FCA 1,2,3; Football 1, 2,3,4; Track 1,2,3; Basketball 1; Letterman's Club 1,2,3,4; Pres. 4; Science Club 1,2,3,4.

KEN BURTON "Somebody said it couldn't be done, so I didn't even try!"

DIANE CARLSON "On the surface sweet and innocent but looks have always been deceiving!" Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; All-School Play 4; Basketball Manager 2; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Volcano Staff 3,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4; Librarian's Club 1,2.

#### YR1974PG070

BRUCE CASSIDY "He tries to be dignified, but his actions betray him." Creston Little-State 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Vice-President 4; Boys Glee 2,3,4; FFA 1,2,3; FCA 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Lettermans Club 3,4; Science Club 1,2, 3,4; Variety Show 3,4.

MIKE CHANEY "There is always two sides to every question—the wrong side and mine." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Council 4; Creston Little-All State 4; Track 2,3,4; Cross Country 2,3; Basketball 1; Science Club 1; Spanish Club 1.

DENISE COPELIN "To know her is to like her." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1, 2,3,4; Creston Little All-State 4; Girls Glee 1.

DALE DANIELSON "It's not easy being the school sex symbol!" Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Creston Little All-State 4; FFA 1,2; FCA 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2; Math Club 3,4; Science Club 1,2,3,4.

PAUL DUMLER "The harder I try, the gooder to be, the worser I get!" FFA 1,4; FCA 3; Football Manager 2; Basketball Manager 3; Track Manager 3.

REED ENGLISH "The less I learn, the less I have to remember!"

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TOM FENGEL "Why worry about the future? I want to live now." Golf 1,4; Math Club 1,2,3; Science Club 1,2,3; Volcano Staff 4.

JOY FINDLEY "High school days have their delights, but they can't compare with high school nights!" Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; SWI Honor Band 4; Creston little All State 4; Chorus 4; Girls Glee 4; Y-

Teens 1,2,3,4; Musical Review 4; Spanish Club 2,4; Swing Choir 4.

SHEILA FRYER "How can we list all she's done? The least we can say is that she had fun." Chorus 2,3,4; Secretary 3; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 2,3,4; Drama Club 1; Musical Review 3,4; Volcano Staff

1,2,3; Annual Staff 4; Cheerleading 2,3; Office Secretary 2,3; Spanish Club 1,2,3; Treasurer 1; Ag Secretary 2,3; Swing Choir 2,3,4.

GAIL GAREY "I love work; I can sit and

stare at it for hours." FFA 4; FCA 1,2,3; Football Manager 2,3; Track Manager 2,3; Basketball Manager 1; Science Club 1.2.

JEANNE GOETTSCH "With a diamond on her finger and happiness in her heart!" Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 2,3; Girls Glee 1,2,3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Librarians Club 1,2.

JO GOURLEY "Small but mighty!" Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Office Secretary 1; Volcano Staff 3,4; Spanish Club 2; librarians Club 1,2; Journalism Secretary 3.

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STEVEN GREENFIELD "I could have drank all night!" FFA 1,2,3,4; FCA 1,2,3; Football 1, 2,3; Letterman's Club 3,4; Math Club 2,3; Science Club 2,3,4.

KATHY HALEY "She has a Sunday School face—but Saturday night ideas." Chorus 2; Girls Glee 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Softball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Atit Athletic Director's secretary 4; Basketball co-captain 4.

CHERYL HAMPEL "School wasn't much fun till I discovered boys—now I can't wait to get out!" Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Basketball 3; Volcano Staff 3,4; Editor 4; librarian's Club 1,2.

NANCY HARPER "I'm not bashful, youjust don't know me." Student Council 4, secretary 4; Creston little All-State 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Musical Review 4; Softball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Swing Choir 4.

SUSAN HAUSEN "Mighty sweet, mighty wise: the fun just twinkles in her eyes." Class Officer 2, secretary; Concert Band 1,2; Marching Band 1,2; Band Council 2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Teen Haven Board 1,3, Vice-president 3; Track Queen 3; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart 4; Student secretary 2,3; librarian's Club 1; Candidate Miss VHS 3.

BILL HOUSER "All the good men are dying off, I feel sick." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Council 4, President 4; Creston little All-State 4; Chorus 1,4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Co-Sentinel 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Baseball 1,2,3; Basketball 1; Math Club 1,2,3,4; Science Club 1,2, 3,4; Teen Haven Board 3, President 3; Annual Staff 4.

# YR1974PG073

JERRY JETT "Life began at 3:45 P.M."

ANN JOHNSON "It's whatcha do with whatcha got" Class Officer 1, treasurer; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Council 1; SWI Honor Band 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Golf 1; Letterman's Club 4; Band Queen Candidate 4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Cheerleading 1, 2,3,4; Office Secretary 2,3; librarian's Club 1; Track Queen Candidate 1,2; Band Secretary 4; Science Club 2. SID LEIGHTY "What would you do without my clever remarks." FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 2; Science Club 1,2,3,4. LORI MARCKMANN "True to a cause, true to a friend, on her loyalty, one can depend." Creston Little All-State 4; Chorus 1,2,4; Girls Glee 1,2,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Musical Review 3, 4; Science Club 1,2,3; librarian's Club 1,2. CONNIE MARSH "Men are all allke, yes men are all I like." Creston little All-State 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Chorus Officer 4, President; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 3,4; Musical Review 3,4; Softball 2,3; Golf 3,4; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Teen Haven Board 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Spanish Club 1; librarian's Club 2; Swing Choir 3,4. GEORGE MARSH "Frequently with my brain I gently think a thought."

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MARGE MOATES "If she's there you can hear her giggle" Creston Little All-State 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee

2,3,4; Glee Officer 3, Representative; Y-Teens 2,3,4; Cabinet 3,4; Track 2; Softball 2,3,4; Basketball Manager 3; Volcano Staff 4; Librarian's Club 2,3,4; officer 4, President.

DEBBIE MOTSINGER "I don't say we all ought to misbehave, but we ought to look as if we could" Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 4; Officer 4, Sec.-Treas.; Volcano Staff 3, 4; Editor 4; Band Queen 4; Candidate 3,4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart Queen Candidate 4; Cheerleading 1,2,3,4; Librarians Club 1.

DEBBIE OLTMANNS "Don't look at me, I didn't do it" Chorus 1; Girls Glee 1; Y-Teens 1, 2,3,4; Cabinet 4; Musical Review 3; Softball 1, 2; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Office Secretary 3; Librarians Club 1,2.

PHIL PETERSON "Beware, the fury of a silent man" Concert Band 1; Creston Little All-State 4; Chorus 4; Track Manager 1,2,3; Football Manager 2; Letterman's Club 3,4.

RALPH PHILLIP "I'd rather argue with a thousand men, than ONE woman" Class Officer 3, Vice President; Student Council 3,4; Officer 4, President; Concert Band 1,2,3; Marching Band 1,2,3; Council 3; FCA 1,2,3; Officer 3, Vice-President; Football 1,2,3,4; Co-Captain 4; Track 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Math Club 1,2,3,4; Officer

3; Vice-President; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 1,2,3,4; Editor 4; Spanish Club 1,2; Homecoming Escort 4; Y-Teen King Candidate 4.

SHERI POND "The days are too short for all the thoughts I want to think" Concert Band 1, 2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 4; All-School Play 4; Science Club 1,2,

4; Volcano 3,4; Editor 4; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4; Librarian's Club 1,2.

#### YR1974PG075

MARK POSTON "I try to be shy but the girls won't let me" Creston Little All-State 4;Chorus 1,2,3,4; Boys Glee 2,3; FFA 1,2,3,4; Officer 4; FCA 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Letterman's Club 1,2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3,4.

SHERRY PRIEST "She seems quiet and shy but never fear—she gets by" Chorus 2; Librarian's Club 2,3,4; Officer 4, Sec.-Treas.

RANDY RANEY "Studying is for the birds and I can't fly." FFA 1,2,3,4; FCA 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 2; Golf 2,3; Basketball 1,2; Letterman's Club 4; Math Club 3; Science Club 1,2,3; Teen Haven Board 3; Spanish Club 1. DENISE RHAMY "A winning way, and a pleasing personality" Class Officer 2,3; Treas. Chorus 2; Girls Glee 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 2,3,4; Y-Teen officer 4; Sec. Softball 2,3,4; Golf 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 4; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Officer 2,3,4; Sec.-Treas. Homecoming Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Office Secretary 2,3; Librarian's Club 1; FFA Secretary 3.

CAROL RUSK "Time goes steady and so do I!" Student Council 1,2,3; Concert Band 1,2,3, 4; Stage Band 4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Creston Little All-State 4; Chorus 2,3,4; Chorus Officer 3,4; Vice-Pres. 3; Sec. 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 3,4; Y-Teen Officer 3,4, Vice-Pres. 3, Co-Pres. 4; Variety Show 3,4; Track 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Officer 1, 2,4, Sec. 1, Vice-Pres. 2, Treasurer 4; Annual Staff 2,3,4; Band Queen Candidate 3,4; Librarian's Club 1; Swing Choir 3,4.

FRED SCHOLEY "His sense of humor never dies; He is bright, happy, witty, and wise." Creston Little All-State 4; Chorus 1,4; Basketball 1,2; Math Club 2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Swing Choir 4; Barbershop Quartet 4; Creston Drafting Fair 3,4.

#### YR1974PG076

CATHY SCHULER "Keep smiling, it makes people wonder what you've been up to!" Creston Little All-State 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 4; Musical Review 3,4; Variety Show 3,4; Letterman's Club 4; Science Club 1,2,3,4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Varsity Cheerleading 3,4; Office Secretary 2; Librarian's Club 1,2; Swing Choir 3,4.

KATHY SCOTT "I was cut out to be an angel, but someone lost the pattern." Chorus 1,2,3,4; Girls Glee 1,2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 3,4; Track 2; Softball 1,2,3,4; Fall Softball 3,4; Basketball 2,3; Office Secretary 3; Librarian's Club 1.2.

LYNN SHEARER "I don't let studying interfere with my education." Chorus 1,2; FFA 1,2, 3,4; FCA 2,3; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Math Club 3; Science Club 1,2.

KATHY JO SHIELDS "Late hours are bad for one, but nice for two!" Concert Band 1,2; Marching Band 1,2; Y-

Teens 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Volcano Staff 4; Spanish Club 1,2; Librarian's Club 1.

KAREN SMITH "A delightful girl with definite ideas!" Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 2; Librarian's Club 2,3,4. TIM SOLT "The truly great are often misunderstood." Football 1,2; Track 1,2; Basketball 1; Track Manager 2; Math Club 1,2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3,4.

#### YR1974PG077

GAIL STEIN "I don't run after men, but I put up a fairly brisk trot!" Class officer, Secretary 1; Chorus 1; Chorus Council 1; Chorus Treasurer 2; Girls Glee 1,2; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 1,2,3,4; Secretary 3; Co-President 4. BRENT SUNDERMAN "There's a great deal of deviltry beneath this mild exterior." Class officer, Vice-President 1,2; Student Council 3, 4; Vice-President 3; Representative 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Boys Glee 1,2; FFA 1,2,3,4; Treasurer 3; President 4; FCA 1,2,3; Football 1,2,3,4; Treasurer 3; Sweetheart Escort 4; Homecoming Escort 4. GREG TAYLOR "I should have danced all night!" Chorus 1,2,3,4; Boys Glee 1,2; FFA 1, 2,3,4; Vice-President 4; FCA 1,2,3; Football 1, 2,3,4; Track 1,2; Science Club 1,2; Spanish Club 1; Sweetheart Escort 4; Homecoming Escort 4.

NICK TAYLOR "If you can't convince 'em... confuse 'em!" Class officer, President 3; Track 2,3; Golf 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Captain 4; Math Club 1,2; Secretary-Treasurer 1,2; Science Club 1,2,3,4; President 2; President 4; Annual Staff 4; Volcano Staff 2,3; Office Secretary 3; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4; Secretary 2; Class Delegate 3; Treasurer 4; Y-Teen King 4.

CHRIS WINTHER "Don't look at me boys—it makes me nervous." Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Science Club 1; Volcano Staff 3; Spanish Club 2; Librarian's Club 1,2.

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Senior Sponsors

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Seniors not pictured in the annual: Mr. Chris Jackson and Mr. Jesse Figgins.

### YR1974PG079

Personnel

#### YR1974PG080

School Board

Dean Sunderman, President; Bob Brown, Chuck Crouse, Don Williams, Glen Findley. Not pictured: Roberta Dickey, Sec.

#### YR1974PG081

Administration

Robert Williams, Superintendent.

Ronald Rubin, Principal.

Carolyn Harris, Superintendent's Secretary.

Carol Greenfield, Principal's Secretary.

Dorothy Strickland, Principal's Secretary.

#### YR1974PG082

Faculty

Mr. Charles Gifford Social Studies

Mr. Chris Nelson Vocational Agriculture

Mrs. Kim Smith Language Arts

Mr. John Nardini Social Studies

#### YR1974PG083

Mr. Doug Myers Science

Mr. Dwight Lewis Guidance Counselor

Mr. Tom Nugent Band

Mr. Carl Johnson Science

### YR1974PG084

Mr. Robert Lemon Mathematics

Mrs. Marilyn Carlson Girls Physical Education

Mr. Marc Rogge Language Arts

Mr. Larry Hummel Industrial Arts

### YR1974PG085

Mr. Paul Barker Business Education

Mrs. Helen Sutphen School Nurse

Mr. Joel Patterson Spanish & English

Mrs. Linda Pearson Art

#### YR1974PG086

Norma Fisher Typing

Tom Niedermeyer Mathematics

Mary Nygren Home economics

Sally Hoffelmeyer Commercial

### YR1974PG087

Zelma Paxson Home-ec & Librarian

Carolyn Reints Chorus

Nancy Bissell; Student teacher History

Wayne Bellding; Student teacher Physical Education & Ind. Arts

### YR1974PG088

School Personnel

COOKS: Irma Brannan, Edna Weaver, Mildred Doan, Hilda Minge, Elvera Peterson.

JANITORS: Paul Northup, Joe Shields, not included, Marvin Harris.

BUS DRIVERS: John Frazee, Joe Shields, Mrs. John Frazee, Don Wirth, Mrs. Herb Phyllis, Manford Sanders, Gladis Abbott, Mrs. James Bewley, John Kemery, Lawerence Lewis.

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With sincere appreciation, we dedicate the 1975 Bluejay to Mrs. Helen Sutphen.

#### YR1975PG003

School Life

### YR1975PG004

Hey, Carol what did you bring to eat for our coffee break today?

Mr. Robert Williams resides in Villisca with his wife Jan and son Joe. Mr. Williams has been the superintendent for the past two years. Mrs. Carolyn Harris has been working as secretary for the superintendent for four years now.

# YR1975PG005

He's at school, is he!

Mr. Ronald Rubin resides in Villisca with his wife Hazel and three children Linda, Sheri, and Randy. Mr. Rubin has been Junior and Senior High School principal for the past two years. Mrs. Carol Greenfield has been the principals secretary for eight years.

### YR1975PG006

Mr. Kevin Avise, first year teacher at Villisca, in addition to teaching literature courses, sponsors the Volcano and freshman class. He lives with his wife Marla and son Michael.

Goofed again!

#### YR1975PG007

Win some! Lose some!

For his first year of teaching Mr. Gary Baker has chosen SM Biology, eighth grade and seventh grade science classes at Villisca. He lives on a farm Northeast of Villisca with his wife Paula who teaches in the elementary grades. In addition he coaches football and basketball.

M-m-m it looks good enough to eat!

#### YR1975PG008

In charge of the Business Department at VHS is Mr. Paul Barker. His many duties include Personal Typing, Typing II, Bookkeeping, Business Law, Shorthand, and Office Practice. Mr. Barker has been at VHS fourteen years. He and his wife, Judy, reside on a farm south of Nodaway. Mr. Barker is also Annual Staff Advisor and Junior Class Sponsor in charge of magazine sales.

Jeff Focht hurries to finish a paper in Personal Typing.

Gale Hess practices filing procedures in Office Practice.

Kathy Kerr and Ann Jergenson try to assume the role of teacher in Business Law class.

Donna Skahill and Liz Moestchen are learning to add in Office Practice

Answering questions of Business Law students are Russell Lint and Dave Andersen.

#### YR1975PG009

Only three more laps to go!

Julie Jacobs tries for a strike while bowling in P.E.

Mrs. Marilyn Carlson is Girl's Physical Education and Health Instructor at VHS. She is also in charge of Junior High Girls' P.E. and Health. Mrs. Carlson has taught at VHS three years. She and her husband, Merlin, and son, Shawn, live on a farm east of Nodaway. Mrs. Carl-son's other activities include being Y-Teen sponsor.

6th hour P.E. girls practice ball handling drills.

Hey, Mrs. Carlson, what are we supposed to do with this?

#### YR1975PG010

Let's review this Consumer Math test.

Mrs. Norma Fisher is a third year teacher at Villisca High. She teaches Typing I and Business Math. Her husband, Randsom, is Superintendent of Red Oak Schools and they make their home in Red Oak. They have two grown children, Cindy and Randy.

What's a 2 percent discount?

Don't look at your fingers!

Ready! Go! Faster! Faster!

#### YR1975PG011

Miss Marla German, a first year teacher at Villisca, makes her home at the Jerry Greenfield apartment. In addition to instructing the high school chorus she also conducts the elementary music program.

Chris, Myra, Marcia, and Lori exercising their tonsils.

Sharon, Twyla, Cheryl, Tammy, Patty, and Miss German practice hard.

#### YR1975PG012

Mr. Chuck Gifford and his wife Barb live with their son Doug and twins Stephanie and Stacy in Villisca. He has taught in the Villisca school system for the past four years. He teaches American History, Contemporary Social Problems, Geography, and Social Studies Seminar. He sponsors Y-Teens, Cheerleading, and the senior class. Yea. Team.

Culby gets sworn in.

Mr. Gifford makes up for the Y-Teens 50's day.

#### YR1975PG013

Kent Jackson works?

Vic's deep in concentration.

Brenda, Debbie, and Tim ready for take-off.

What seems to be the problem in here?

Mr. Larry Hummel, his wife Kaye and their two children Jeff and Julie, make their home in Villisca. Mr. Hummel has been employed in the Villisca school system for the past seven years. Presently he teaches Electricity and

Electronics, Blueprint Design, Metals, Power Mechanics, Woods, Carpentry, Architectural Drawing, and Driver Education. He is also the girls' track coach.

### YR1975PG014

Mr. Carl Johnson and his wife Nancy, who is a R.N. at Murphy Memorial Hospital in Red Oak, make their home in Villisca. Mr. Johnson has been a teacher in the Villisca Community Schools the last five years. He teaches Molecular Biology and Physical Education besides being Senior Sponsor, Head Football Coach and Head Boys' Track Coach.

Mr. Carl Johnson

AH! HA!

Bowling at Leisure.

Quit looking Kenny and keep running!

What's down there Mark?

Chris motivating?

### YR1975PG015

Mr. Robert Lemon has taught the past two years in the Villisca Community Schools. Mr. Lemon and his wife Linda, who teaches in the Clarinda School District, make their home in Villisca. Mr. Lemon is also trying to start a wrestling program in the school system.

"Then you . . . "

Mr. Robert Lemon

Tomorrow 's assignment.

Get to work!

Come on Bill, pay attention.

A toughy.

#### YR1975PG016

Mr. Dwight Lewis has been Guidance Counselor at Villisca for the past eleven years. He spends many hours with students helping them with their problems, schedules, jobs, and college opportunities. Mr. Lewis and his wife, Janice, with daughters Kay, a junior at VHS, and Carol, a student of Northwest Missouri State University, live on a farm Southeast of Villisca. He is sponsor of the Student Council and has done an outstanding job. Sandy Schenck is obtaining valuable counseling from Mr. Lewis.

### YR1975PG017

This was Mrs. Sandra Munger's first year at Villisca High School. She teaches girls' Home Economics, Child Development, Basic and Advanced Clothing, and has been the first teacher to bring boys' Home Economics to Villisca. Mrs. Munger lives with her four year old son, Danny, in a mobile home in Villisca. She is also the freshman class sponsor.

Look out stomach here it comes!

Well who wants to do the dishes?

Run that by me one more time.

Sewing takes a lot of concentration.

Kim, are you listening to me?

### YR1975PG018

When it's balanced, it might work better.

Study harder next time, girls.

This is Mr. Doug Myers 2nd year at Villisca High School. Mr. Myers teaches Senior Science, Physical Science, Physics and Chemistry. He is also a sponsor for Science Club and is assistant wrestling coach. He has lived in

Villisca for the past two years.

It's got to be just right before it works.

Wake up, it's time for Science.

#### YR1975PG019

Mr. Nardini with student secretary, Debbie Doan.

Four Score and Seven Years ago. . .

Mr. Nardini coaches the boys onto a victory.

Mr. John Nardini has been a teacher in the Villisca School system for 3 years. He teaches World History, American Problems and is Athletic Director. He also coaches boys' basketball. Mr. Nardini and his wife Ann and daughter Andrea, make their home in Villisca.

Mr. Nardini working in the Athletic Department.

#### YR1975PG020

Mr. Nelson keeps his kids occupied in all kinds of "seeder" work.

John Marsh inspects the 1974 crop show.

The Senior Voc. Ag. class pours cement for the school. Pictured above: Dennis Gray, Mr. Nelson, Lonnie Grashorn, and Gary Haley.

Mr. Chris Nelson and his wife Barb make their home on Fourth Street in Villisca. He has been employed in the Villisca school system for the past two years. Presently he teaches Vocational Agriculture I, II, III, IV, Vocational Welding, and Adult Education. He sponsors the sophomore class and is sponsor of the Reno Smith FFA Chapter.

#### YR1975PG021

Are you ready for this one?

Mr. Tom Niedermyer resides in Villisca. He has been with the Villisca school system for the past three years. He is assistant football coach, head girls' basketball coach, and sponsors the junior class. He also teaches Geometry, General Math, Algebra II, Senior Math, and Intermediate Algebra.

Hit 'em again Jays

I pledge to win

Here we go again!

### YR1975PG022

Director of the instrumental music department at VHS is Mr. Tom Nugent. He and his wife, Gail, live in Villisca. Mr. Nugent has been band director for three years. He is also in charge of Jr. High and elementary band. In addition to these duties, Mr. Nugent was the chairman of the Southwest Iowa Honor Band.

Mike Baker, Cheryl King, Kim Jamison, and Joyce Wiechman show proof of a winning marching season. Trombone sectional work.

Stage band and concert band prepare for concerts.

Practice makes perfect.

#### YR1975PG023

Spanish Club initiation creates funny creatures.

Mike Baker gets initiated!

Teaching in the language Arts Department is Mr. Joel Patterson. His classes include Spanish, Grammar, and Literature. Mr. Patterson, who is a third year teacher at VHS, also sponsors the Spanish Club and is a Junior class sponsor. He and his wife, Marsha, have two daughters, Shani who is two and a newborn baby, Amber. Spanish Club Banquet has excellent turnout.

Classroom Activities.

#### YR1975PG024

I wish kids would put the books back in the right place.

A Student Librarian hard at work. Inventory time again.

May I help you?

This is Mrs. Zelma Paxson's fifth year here. She is the School Librarian and Librarian Club Sponsor. She makes her home here in Villisca.

#### YR1975PG025

Randy Gray working on pottery.

Trudy paints the stage band stands.

Mrs. Pearson has been teaching in Villisca for 6 years. The art classes she teaches include: Drawing and Painting, Ceramics, Design I & II and Basic Art. She also teaches Jr. High and Elementary Art. This year she was a Junior Class Sponsor. She and her husband make their home southwest of Red Oak.

Girls, this is no time for Ladies' Aide.

The lunchroom gets a fresh new look.

#### YR1975PG026

Mrs. Kim Smith started teaching English and Speech at Villisca fifteen years ago. After six years she moved to Nebraska where she taught two years before returning to Villisca. She makes her home in Clarinda where her son Tom is a senior at Clarinda High School. In addition to her class activities, Mrs. Smith is a Senior Class Sponsor and spends many hours preparing VHS students for State Speech Contests.

Mrs. Smith receives a dozen roses at a speech banquet.

Mrs. Smith and students judge Speech II debates.

Speech I class panel discussion on cheating.

Lauri and Jerry debate a timely proposition.

Jeff Salaway's admission to cheating?

#### YR1975PG027

Mrs. Sutphen checks the blood pressure of Karen Herzberg.

One of the people in our school who rarely receives enough credit is our school nurse, Mrs. Helen Sutphen. Mrs. Sutphen has been with our school system 10 years. She makes her home in Villisca, with her husband Paul. Her many duties include keeping health records of all students, coordinating hearing and eye examinations, and also providing a counseling service for all students.

Marcia Forsythe has her eyes tested by Mrs. Sutphen.

Mrs. Sutphen is surprised by receiving the Annual Dedication at Awards Night.

# YR1975PG028

School Board

Sitting: Roberta Dickey, Board Secretary; Bob Brown, Glen Findley. Standing: Don Williams, Gene Westerlund, Robert Williams, Superintendent. Not pictured: Dean Sunderman.

**Bus Drivers** 

John Kemery, Don Wirth, Loretta Phyllis, Joe Shields, Alma Bewley, Lois Frazee, Gladys Abbott, Manford Sanders, Lawrence Lewis, Bus Manager.

### YR1975PG029

Cooks, Custodians, and Secretary

Cooks: Elvera Peterson, Mildred Doan, Hilda Minge, Edna Weaver, and Irma Brannan.

Custodians: Joe Shields, Carla Gourley, and Kieth Gourley

Dorothy Strickland, Secretary.

#### YR1975PG030

#### In Memory

In the memory of our classmate and friend, Rick McAlpin.

All of us remember him in different ways, but we all remember. His good sense of humor and teasing ways, but also his serious moments, will always linger in our minds.

#### YR1975PG031

Seniors

### YR1975PG032

1975

Elizabeth Moestchen Secretary-Treasure Jeanne Bashaw Vice President Jerry Baker President Seniors

#### YR1975PG033

Richard Baldwin

Jeff Beckett

Lauri Bergren

LaVerna Black

Diane Dumler

Jeff Fast

#### YR1975PG034

Richard Fast

Randy Garey

Linnie Grashorn

Dennis Gray

Randy Gray

**Gary Haley** 

#### YR1975PG035

John Hausen

Gale Hess

Jeff Hunter

Ann Jergenson

Frieda Kasha

Dixie Laire

#### YR1975PG036

Barry Leichty

Gordon McAlpin

Tony Marsh

Carla Mauderly

Dana Neal

Susan Phillip

#### YR1975PG037

Terry Ross Tom Schafer Not Pictured John Saikaly Twyla Schrader Debbie Shadbolt Stanley Shipley

#### YR1975PG038

Donna Skahill Gregory Thomas Joyce Wiechman Russell Wilson Not pictured: Kurt Wagaman

#### YR1975PG039

Underclassmen

### YR1975PG040

Juniors Joe Fitzwater, President

Mike Schafer, Vice-President

Jeff Focht, Secretary

Paul Bangston, Treasurer

Dave Anderson Duane Bergren Susan Bewley Diane Black

Carl Carlson Culby Cassidy Sarah Darnold Brad Dickey

Carol Dumler Jim Focht Kent Gage Jim Herzberg

### YR1975PG041

Julie Jacobs Kim Jamison Kathy Kerr Kay Lewis Russell Lint Teresa Marckmann Margaret Marsh Kenny Oltmanns Randy Penwell Becky Patterson Chris Shapcott Ronnie Simmons Lori Wagaman Julie Watts Brian Williams

#### YR1975PG042

### Sophomores

Bryce Sunderman, President

Marty Kernen, Vice President

Nancy Leichty, Secretary

Richard Northup, Treasurer

Ray Agnew Kevin Anderson Jerry Archer Susan Armstrong Gail Baldwin David Boggess
Jeff Brown Bernard Cerven Debbie Clark Myra Clement Tom Darnold Debbie Doan
Karl Enarson Chuck Fast Duane Finch Mark Focht Charlene Franklin Charlotte Franklin
Bryce Franson Cathy Garey Doug Garey Ray Gourley Pam Grashorn Janie Gray
Trudy Greenfield Kathy Grimit Patty Hall Jeanna Hampel Jeff Hess Pam Jett

#### YR1975PG043

Patty Johnson Cheryl King Mick King Gaillyn Kinser Mickie McCuen Donnie Marsh

Tammy Marsh Marilyn Moore Jim Parker David Penwell Jann Perry Linda Rubin Sharon Rusk Eddie Saikaly Jeff Salway Shala Salway Kim Sand John Schafer Marcia Schrader Tim Schroeder Bill Shipley Janet Shipley Kennie Smith Steve Solt Vic Spencer Randy Sprague Marc Stephens John Strand Dwight Sunderman Denise Walter Rick Weaver Terry Westerlund Joe Williams Device Winther Shelley Wright Bob Dumler

#### YR1975PG044

Freshmen
Bill Enarson, President
Tom Wright, Vice-President
Bryan Dickey, Secretary
Mitch Jergenson, Treasurer

Keith Anderson Mike Baker Cindy Baldwin Betty Barr John Barr Traci Bartlett
Rosie Beedle Chris Berggren Lori Campbell Gail Cassidy Carole Clark Fred Crouse
Kathy Crum Cindy Currin Victor Dicks Candy Dukes Debbie Dumler Rod Fast
Marcia Forsythe Jim Freshour Sandy Garey Debbie Gray Kim Greenfield Tracy Greenfield
Jon Gustafson Greg Haer Bill Halda Pat Haley Terry Haley Junior Hanson

#### YR1975PG045

Teri Hart Angela Herzberg Diane Herzberg Karen Herzberg Kent Jackson Diane Jenkins Lori Kinser James Lint Rocky McCuen Jeff Marsh John Marsh Teri Mattson Cindy Mauderly Janet Oblinger Susan Patterson Earl Peterson Larry Pond Jane Poston Kim Ramsey Shelia Refer Karen Rhamy Cheryl Ridenour Diane Ross Sherri Rubin Sandy Schenck Brenda Shapcott Marvin Shipley Danny Snow Nickie Taylor Leslie Thomas Tammy Turpen Sheila Way Paul Yeske

#### YR1975PG047

Sports

### YR1975PG048

The 1975 track team was well represented again this year. The team consisted of two seniors, five juniors, eleven sophomores and four freshmen. They participated in several meets around and hosted eleven schools at the Bluejay Relays. The Relays were won by Corning and Villisca placed eighth at the meet. Also, the 440 yd. relay team, which consisted of Rich Fast, Tom Schafer, Mike Schafer, and Chris Shapcott participated in the State Track Meet in Des Moines.

1975 Bluejay Relays Queen, Miss Lauri Bergren

Queen Lauri Bergren with escort  $\mathsf{Tom}$  Set-later. Flowergirl was Bobbi  $\mathsf{Teneyck}$  and  $\mathsf{crownbearer}$  was Dustin Hull.

# YR1975PG049

The Relays Queen and her court: Carla Mauderly, Kay Lewis, Queen Lauri Bergren, Flowergirl Bobbi TenEyck, Crownbearer Dustin Hull, Kathy Kerr, Marty Kernen, Marcia Forsythe.

#### YR1975PG050

Varsity: 1st Row: Head Coach Tom Niedermeyer, Kathy Kerr, Twyla Schrader, Liz Moestchen, Donna Skahill, Julie Watts, Julie Jacobs, Becky Patterson, Asst. Coach Bob Russell. 2nd Row: Manager Gaillyn Kinser, Pam Grashorn, Janie Gray, Shelley Wright, Jeanna Hampel, Marcia Schrader, Nancy Leichty, Marcia Forsythe, Tracy Greenfield, Manager Lori Kinser, Manager Susan Bewley.

Jr. Varsity: 1st Row: Karen Herzberg, Karen Rhamy, Kathy Crum, Tracy Greenfield, Marcia Forsythe, Gail

Cassidy, Diane Jenkins. 2nd Row: Coach Niedermeyer, Cindy Currin, Susan Patterson, Angela Herzberg, Cindy Baldwin, Carole Clark, Coach Bob Russell (not pictured Tammy Turpen)

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#### YR1975PG051

Jayette Basketball
Kathy blocks a shot.
Donna takes a quick jump shot.
Easy lay-up for Janie.
Julie and Liz block the forwards out.
Marcia and Liz play tough defense!
Shelley hooks one in.

#### YR1975PG052

# **Bluejay Cagers**

The Villisca Bluejay Basketball season was one of improvement by posting a 11-9 record, the best in several years. The Jays finished 5-7 in the Tall Corn Conference to tie for fourth in the final standings. Five of the Jays losses were to Corning, a top ranked team, and Mt. Ayr, who advanced to the Boys State Tournament. Three of the four remaining losses were by a total of 12 points. The Bluejays lost only two seniors, Jerry Baker and Tom Schafer and with six letterman returning should have a fine season next year. Jerry Baker led the Jays in both scoring and rebounding with a 13.5 and a 9. 7 average respectively. Sopho more Terry Westerlund followed closely with a 12. 2 and 8. 1 average. Brian Williams and Mike Schafer followed in scoring with 11. 5 and 11. 0 average. Jerry Baker was named to second team all conference and Terry Wester - lund, Brian Williams, Mike Schafer, and Tom Schafer were named honorable mention.

Highlights of the Season. Big opening win vs. Stanton 5543. Being rated as one of S. W. Iowa's top ten Class B teams throughout the season. Finishing above . 500 at an 11-9 record. Winning more games and conference games than the last four years combined. A great come-from behind victory vs. East Union on Dec. 20, 1974. Hitting the century mark vs. New Market on Jan. 7, 1975 (100-32). Beating South Page in sectional opener 56-73. The first tournament win for a Bluejay team in several years. Advancing to the sectional finals. Another first for recent Bluejay teams.

Varsity. Kneeling: Manager Russel Lint, Brian Williams, Steve Solt, Joe Williams, John Schafer, Tom Schafer, Bryce Sunderman, Manager Dave Anderson. Standing: Manager Chris Berggren, Tom Darnold, Terry Westerlund, Jerry Baker, Paul Bangston, Joe Fitzwater, Mike Schafer, Asst. Coach Gary Baker, Head Coach John Nardini.

#### YR1975PG053

Jr. Varsity. Kneeling: Steve Solt, Jim Sand, Mike Baker, Bill Enarson, Eddie Saikaly. Standing: Coach Gary Baker, Keith Anderson, Bryce Sunderman, Tom Darnold, Greg Haer, Rod Fast.

### YR1975PG054

Jayette Track

First Row: Marcia Forsythe, Gail Cassidy, Diane Jenkins, Pam Gras-horn. Second Row: Kim Greenfield, Tracy Greenfield, Becky Patterson. Third Row: Brenda Shapcott, Debbie Gray, Kathy Kerr, Jeanna Hampel. Fourth Row: Cindy Baldwin, Karen Herzberg, Janie Gray. Not Pictured: Trudy Greenfield, Coach Larry Hummel. Coaching girls track for the third consecutive year was Mr. Larry Hummel. Although the squad was young, they had a very successful season. Five new school records were set. These are: Tracy Greenfield, 220 Yard Dash; Diane Jenkins, Mile Run; Kathy Kerr, 220 Low Hurdles; Becky Patterson, Trudy Greenfield, Diane Jenkins, Kim Greenfield, 400 Meter Shuttle Relay. They also hosted the 2nd Annual Jayette Relays. With everyone returning, the future should be bright for the girls' track squad.

#### Field Events

#### YR1975PG055

880 Relay--Karen, Kim, Becky, Tracy Second Annual Jayette Relays Miler Diane Jenkins and Coach Hummel

#### YR1975PG056

Bluejays Produce Athletes, Winners

The BlueJays boasted a 6-2 season record, equaling that of last year's team. Both losses were to conference teams. Villisca also handed Corning its first Tall Corn Conference loss since joining the league. The BlueJays finished second in conference play, tied with Corning. The BlueJays had a good showing when All-Conference selections came around. Those named to First Team Defense were: Stan Shipley, Rich Fast, Jerry Baker, Tony Marsh, and Jeff Fast. Named to First Team Offense were: John Hausen, Tony Marsh, and Tom Schafer. Named to All-Conference Second Team were: John Schafer, Chuck Fast, Brain Williams, Bryce Franson, Joe Williams, and Mike Schafer. Tom Schafer was the leading rusher with a total of 924 yards, for the season. Tom Schafer and Joe Williams were tied in pass receptions with 9 catches apiece. The BlueJays showed good strength in the underclassmen and should be ready for next season.

TEAM	THEM
Elkhorn-Kimballton	0
Mt. Ayr	12
Lenox	0
Greenfield	0
Corning	20
East Union	13
Bedford	12
Griswold	0
	Elkhorn-Kimballton Mt. Ayr Lenox Greenfield Corning East Union Bedford

Lets get something going guys! Defense are you ready?

### YR1975PG057

First Row: Tom Schafer, Stan Shipley, Rich Fast, Jerry Baker, Jeff Fast, Tony Marsh. Second Row: Bryce Franson, Joe Williams, Kent Gate, Gary Haley, Donny Marsh, Jeff Focht, John Hausen, Kent Jackson. Third Row: Duane Finch, Richard Northup, Bryce Sunderman, John Schafer, Chuck Fast, Jeff Brown, Jim Herzberg, Jim Freshour, Kenny Smith. Fourth Row: Bill Shipley, Bill Halda, Greg Haer, John Marsh, Jeff Marsh, Jim Parker, Jr. Hanson, Bill Enarson. Fifth Row: John Gustafson, Mitch Jergenson, Larry Pond, James Lint, Tim Schroeder, Marc Stephens. Sixth Row: Victor Dicks, Rod Fast, Marvin Shipley, Mike Schafer, Paul Bangston, Randy Penwell. Seventh Row: Coach Robert Russell, Manager Mike Baker, Coach Carl Johnson, Coach Tom Niedermeyer, Coach Gary Baker.

Tom's hard at WORK?

Handing out stars for a HARD nights work.

### YR1975PG058

Club Swingers

Jeanne Bashaw, Julie Watts, Julie Jacobs, Janet Oblinger, Sherri Rubin, Diane Herzberg, Pam Jett, Debbie Doan. Rich Fast, Jerry Baker, Brian Williams, Tom Darnold, Randy Penwell, Bryce Franson, Greg Haer, Rod Fast, Kevin Anderson, Brian Dickey, Mike Baker, Randy Gray, Eddie Saikaly.

### YR1975PG059

Summer Sports

Boys Baseball Coach Gary Baker. Players Tim Schroeder, Jeff Salway, Rich Fast, John Hausen, Paul Bangston, Brian Wil liams, Greg Haer, Jeff Focht, Jim Herzberg, Mike Schafer, Tom Darnold, John Schafer, Steve Solt, Mark Stephens, Bryce Sunderman, Joe Williams, Jim Sand, David Penwell, Keith Anderson, Brian Dickey, Victor Dicks, Bill Enarson, Bill Halda, Junior Hanson, Kent Jackson, Mitch Jergenson, Marvin Shipley, and John Marsh.

Girls Softball Coach Vince Else. Players Trudy Greenfield, Gail Cassidy, Janet Forsythe, Julie Jacobs, Chris Haley, Nancy Leichty, Janie Gray, Leisa Haer, Marcia Forsythe, Tina Gulick, Diane Jenkins, Tracy Greenfield, Laura Brock, Cindy Baldwin, Karen Rhamy, Marcy Wright, Patty Haley, and Diane Gourley.

#### YR1975PG060

Spirit Makers

Varsity; Floor: Sarah Darnold, Trudy Greenfield. Standing: Kay Lewis, Marty Kernen, Margaret Marsh, Linda Rubin. Top: Debbie Clark.

Junior Varsity: Diane Herzberg, Denise Walter, Cindy Mauderly, Janet Oblinger, Sherri Rubin.

### YR1975PG061

School Activities

#### YR1975PG062

Homecoming 74

Parade

1st place float: Freshmen.

2nd place float: Junior High.

Queen Carla Mauderly, Flower girl Andrea Pederson and Crown Bearer Doug Gifford.

Liz Moestchen and Jeanne Bashaw.

Lauri Bergren and Susie Phillip.

### YR1975PG063

Game

The Queen and her Court.

A hard-hitting Bluejay.

Raiders can't make it against the tough Jays.

Cheering the way to victory!

Villisca defense piles it on.

### YR1975PG064

Miss Carla Mauderly

1974

Homecoming Queen

#### YR1975PG065

Jeanne Bashaw

Liz Moestchen

Lauri Bergren

Susan Phillip

YR1975PG066

VHS Presents

'The Curious Savage"

How could you hide a bundle of bonds inside a stuffed porpoise?

Get rid of that teddy bear!

Florence Leslie Thomas Hannibal Chris Shapcott Fairy May Marcia Schrader

Jeffrey Greg Thomas

Mrs. Paddy Diane Herzberg

Titus Jim Sand
Samuel Dave Penwell
Lily Belle Becky Patterson
Ethel Dixie aire

Miss Wilhelmina Kay Lewis
Dr. Emett Danny Snow

Director Miss Ann Sunderman

### YR1975PG067

Variety Show

I'm bringing home a baby bumble bee.

Mr. Chris Nelson, Master of Ceremonies.

The Barbershop Quartet brings back the good 'ole days.

Gregg Thomas sings while Mr. Gifford accompanies.

The little girls show us a dance.

# YR1975PG068

Jr.-Sr. Banquet & Prom

Joe Fitzwater, Junior Class President, gives the welcome.

Jerry Baker, Senior Class President, gives the response.

### YR1975PG069

On May 10, 1975, the Jr. -Sr. Banquet and Prom was held in the Villisca Armory. Waitresses for the evening were Diane Herzberg, Tracy Greenfield, Sherri Rubin, Cindy Mauderly and Leslie Thomas. Waiters were Mark Focht, Terry Westerlund, Bryce Sunderman, Chuck Fast and John Schafer. Entertainment was provided by Yanno. The night progressed with the showing of the movie Thunderbolt and Lightfoot, at the Rialto Theatre. The most energetic couples attended the breakfast at Viking Lake, prepared by the Seniors.

### YR1975PG070

Class Of 1975

Commencement May 20, 1975

Jerry Baker

John Hausen

Dixie Laire

Let's get this over with.

Kim and Kathy lead the seniors in.

# YR1975PG071

Awaiting the big moment.

Through at last!

With diploma in hand, the senior girls are all smiles!

Dianne and Randy keep in step.

Ready to conquer the world.

Ann Jergenson receives her diploma.

#### YR1975PG072

Awards Night "75"

Miss Julie Jacobs, Student Council president, presides as Mistress of Ceremonies.

Tom Schafer receives the Citizenship Award of the Iowa State Bar Association from Mr. John K. Petersen.

Mr. Joel Patterson awards Jerry Baker the Oscar Schroeder Scholarship.

FFA Scholarship Awards are presented by Mr. Chris Nelson to John Hausen and Rich Fast.

In addition to the awards and scholarships on these two pages, the following were presented:

FFA Dekalb Award to John Hausen.

Y-Teen Scholarship was presented to Jeanne Bashaw.

The Betty Crocker-Family Leadership of Tomorrow to Dana Neal.

Montgomery County Scholarships to John Saikaly and Dixie Laire.

Special Scholarships and Awards: Southwestern Community College at Creston to Gary Haley.

Northwest Missouri State University to Greg Thomas.

Iowa Western Community College at Clarinda (Lyle Scholarship) to John Hausen.

Northwestern Wesleyan was presented to Dana Neal.

Dedication of Annual was to Mrs. Helen Sutphen. Special guests at Awards night of the Class of 19'75 were Mr. and Mrs. Dave McAlpin and Andrea of Clarinda, Iowa.

#### YR1975PG073

Departmental Scholarship of Language Arts is presented to Dixie Laire by Mrs. Kim Smith.

Sutphen Memorial Scholarship is awarded to Jeanne Bashaw by Mr. Doug Myers.

The Henry Tyler Scholarship is presented by Mr. Marlin Gunderman to Greg Thomas.

State of Iowa Scholarship Award is awarded to Dana Neal by Mr. Ron Rubin.

Twyla Schrader is the recipient of the Villisca Community Leadership Award presented by Mr. Joel Patterson.

Mr. Joel Patterson awards the Villisca Community Technical Scholarship Awards to Gale Hess and Randy Gray.

# YR1975PG074

**National Honor Society** 

John Hausen

Lauri Bergren

Dixie Laire

Gary Haley

Tom Schafer Jerry Baker

**Greg Thomas** 

**High Honors Graduates** 

Twyla Schrader; Jeanne Bashaw; Gale Hess, Salutatorian; Dana Neal, Valedictorian. They are the top 10 per cent of their class scholastically and each received the gold medallions.

# YR1975PG075

Organizations

### YR1975PG076

Student Council

First Row: Richard Fast, Mr. Lewis; Sponsor, Susie Philip; President, Joyce Wiechman; Secretary, John Hausen; Treasure, Second Row: Duane Bergren, Bryce Sunderman, Chuck Fast, Greg Haer, Joe Fitzwater, Jerry Baker. Third Row: Leslie Thomas, Debbie Clark, Julie Watts, Kathy Kerr, Bill Enarson.

Spanish Club

First Row: Mr. Patterson; Sponsor, Marty Kernen; Treasurer, Sarah Darnold; Vice-President, Twyla Schrader, Chris Shapcott; Secretary. Second Row: Cheryl King, Sue Armstrong, Gaillyn Kinser, Pam Grashorn, Kay Lewis, Paul Bangs-ton, Danny Snow, David Boggess. Third Row: Lori Kinser, Chris Berggren, Randy Gray, Kenny Smith, Linda Rubin, Patty Hall, Mike Baker, Marc Stephens, Jeff Salway. Fourth Row: Patty Haley, Jane Poston, Teri Hart, Sheri Rubin, Brad Dickey, Lauri Bergren, Liz Moestchen, Tammy Marsh. Fifth Row: Angela Herzberg, Carole Clark, Marcia Schrader, Denise Walter, Susie Phillips, Joyce Wiechman.

#### YR1975PG077

Lettermen's Club

First Row: Mr. Nardini, Sponsor, Liz Moestchen, Secretary-Treasurer, John Hausen, Vice-President, Tony Marsh, President, Jerry Baker. Second Row: Stan Shipley, Donna Skahill, Marty Kernen, Richard Fast, Kay Lewis, Kathy Kerr, Sarah Darnold, Paul Bangston, Brian Williams, Chris Shapcott. Third Row: Randy Gray, Kenny Smith, Ray Gourley, Bill Shipley, Chuck Fast, Bryce Franson, Tim Schroeder, Steve Solt, Marc Stephens, Fourth Row: Jim Sand, Tom Darnold, Bryce Sunderman, John Schafer, Rich Northup, Trudy Greenfield, Linda Rubin, Patty Hall, Joe Williams. Fifth Row: Jeff Fast, Nancy Leichty, Shelley Wright, Jeanna Hampel, Janie Gray, Gail Hess, Gary Haley, Tom Schafer.

Pep Club

First Row: Debbie Clark, Linda Rubin, Sarah Darnold, Margaret Marsh, Kay Lewis, Marty Kernen, Trudy Greenfield. Second Row: Cindy Mauderly, Diane Herzberg, Janet Oblinger, Sherri Rubin, Denise Walter, Twyla Schrader; President. Third Row: Karen Rhamy, Debbie Gray, Brenda Shapcott, Jeanna Hampel, Cindy Baldwin, Kathy Crum, Angela Herzberg. Fourth Row: Julie Jacobs, Nickie Taylor, Kim Ramsey, Kathy Kerr, Julie Watts, Marcia Schrader.

### YR1975PG078

That's what you get for littering! 1975 Y-Teen Queen Elizabeth Moestchen Court: Jeanne Bashaw, Joyce Wiechman, Susan Phillip and Donna Skahill Look at all the litter bugs!

### YR1975PG079

Y-Teens

Cabinet

First Row: Donna Skahill, secretary; Elizabeth'Moestchen, co-president; Carla Mauderly, co-president; Margaret Marsh, treasure; Mr. Gifford, sponsor. Second Row: Gail Baldwin, Sharon Rusk, Kay Lewis, Jeanne Bashaw, Joyce Wiechman, and Angela Herzberg. Third Row: Lauri Bergren, Susan Phillip, Gail Hess, Karen Rhamy and Cindy Mauderly, Fourth Row: Trudy Greenfield, Linda Rubin, Sarah Darnold and Becky Patterson. (Not pictured, Mrs. Carlson, sponsor).

#### YR1975PG080

**Future Farmers Of America** 

1975 FFA Sweetheart Miss Frieda Kasha

Her Court; Liz Moestchen, Jeanne Bashaw, Lauri Bergren, and Twyla Schrader.

The Villisca Reno Smith Chapter of the FFA is an active group of people. We have meetings at the beginning of every month all year long including the summer months.

In the fall the FFA has numerous activities. One of the first things is the Greenhand Initiation. At the initiation

the new members to the FFA are both for and informally initiated into the organization.

In October a group of students from the Sophomore Class always go to the National Convention at Kansas City. To raise money for the local ambulance fund, this year our FFA had a marathon basketball game. We played basketball from 8 pm November 15 to 8 pm November 16. This was a long time to play basketball, but it was for a worthy cause and raised \$800 for the ambulance fund.

By the month of November the main FFA project is Fruit Sales. This is a combination of moneymaking and community service project. Our chapter sold about 1000 boxes of fruit this year, providing many fine Christmas gifts of fruit. Sales also pay the dues of most chapter members.

After the beginning of the year all of the classes look forward to contests. Some of the contests are Creed Speaking, Manuel Quiz, Conduct of Meetings, Parliamentary Procedure, Program of Work, Secretary's Book, Treasurer's Book, Record Book and Proficiencey Awards.

Right after we have finished contests and the Sweetheart Dance we must start planning our Parent-Member Banquet to show Parents and other people in the community what we do each year.

Our school year ends with a Hog Show which is open to all members. In the summer months the FFA has judging contests, swimming parties, hog roasts, State Fair contests, and their monthly meeting.

#### YR1975PG081

FFA Officers: Advisor, Mr. Chris Nelson; Reporter (1st Sem.), Duane Bergren; Sentinel, Joe Fitzwater; Vice President, Richard Fast; President, John Hausen; Secretary, Jim Sands; Treasuer, Chuck Fast; Point System Chairman, Bryce Sunderman; Reporter (1st Sem.), Randy Garey; Not Pictured; Reporters (2nd Sem.), Jeff Focht, Paul Bangston.

#### YR1975PG082

Librarian's Club

First Row: Cheryl King: Secretary, Jam Perry: Treasurer, Mrs. Paxson: Sponsor, Gail Baldwin: Vice-President, Dixie Laire: President. Second Row: Sharon Rusk, Pam Grashorn, Charlotte Franklin, Shala Salway, Susan Armstrong, Frieda Kasha, Teri Mattson. Third Row: Charlene Franklin, Susan Patterson, Sandra Garey, Cindy Currin, Cheryl Ridenour, Shelia Refer, Sheila Way, Candy Dukes.

Science & Math Club

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#### YR1975PG083

**Band Notes** 

Successful is a good way to describe this year's band season.

This year's marching band season was perfect. Like all years it was filled with early morning practices, routine workouts, and hard work from each and every member of the band.

The first place we displayed our talent was at the Mt. Ayr Band Day, where we received a I rating. We then traveled on to the Clarinda Band Jamboree in which our excellent street marching qualified us for the finals that led to a 1st place finish in Class B for the sixth consecutive year. Next we ventured on to State Marching Band Contest and received one of the few I ratings. Our next contest was at Plattsmouth were our hard work

led to another hard-earned I rating. Our skill and many hours of work payed off as we were invited to Simpson College to play at half time. This is one honor the band will never forget.

Jeanne Bashaw was our band queen this year. She represented us at the Mt. Ayr Band Day and the Clarinda Band Jamboree. For the fiist time in many years we had a drum majorette, who was Donna Skahill. Donna did a fine job leading the band to a perfect season. Along with these many activities the band also marched at all home football games and the homecoming parade.

Concert Band spent most of its time preparing for concerts: The Christmas Concert, Winter Concert, Parade of Bands Concert, and the Honors Concert. Somehow we managed to squeeze in Large Group and Small Group contests. Several I's were received at small group contest and the band received a II rating at large group contest. Also we played at Commencement and Memorial Day Services.

Stage Band was a participant in the jazz festivals at Creston and Peru. A special Jam Session which featured alumni stage band members ended a busy season.

Considering the hours of hard work by students and director this proved to be a very fulfilling and successful season in many ways.

Drum Majorette: Donna Skahill

Honor Bandsmen: Donna Skahill and Greg Thomas.

Band Council: Gale Hess, Paul Bangston, Jeanna Hampel, Sherri Rubin, Donna Skahill, John Hausen.

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#### YR1975PG084

Marching Band Stage Band Concert Band

#### YR1975PG085

### **Band Queen**

Susie Phillip, Gale Hess, Queen Jeanne Bashaw, Joyce Wiechman, Donna Skahill

#### YR1975PG086

Vocal Music

VHS Chorus. First Row: Cheryl King, Susan Bewley, Chris Berggren, Marcia Schrader, Dan Snow, Chris Shapcott, Culby Cassidy, Sharon Rusk, Carole Clark, Leslie Thomas, Kay Lewis. Second Row: Jane Poston, Dixie Laire, Lori Kinser, Greg Thomas, Jim Herzberg, Brian Williams, Sarah Darnold, Cindy Mauderly, Gaillyn Kinser, Twyla Schrader.

A commendable job of accompanying for chorus rehearsals, programs, and many community events goes to Greg Thomas, Cheryl King, Marty Kernen, and Kay Lewis.

Kay Lewis and Greg Thomas were two chosen from 5000 auditioners to be part of a select 600 voice chorus which performed at the 28th Annual Iowa All-State Music Festival.

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Chorus and a newly organized swing choir had a very busy and successful year in presenting a Christmas, winter pops, and spring concert. They also performed for many community activities such as Senior Citizens, ladies circles, Elementary faculty dinner and the Farm Bureau dinner. Some of their other activities were participating in Creston Little All-State, IWCC production of the "Messiah", small group contest receiving two I and eight II ratings, and singing for Baccalaureate and Commencement. Plans for next year include a vocal exchange concert with a nearby school and an ice cream social.

The outstanding vocal achievement award was awarded to Greg Thomas, a senior, for his musical interest, citizenship, attitude, service, and dedication to the vocal department. The candidate is selected by the students in chorus.

As student director, Maestro Greg Thomas, senior, directs the chorus in a rehearsal.

The B3 Singers bring back the sound of the 50's with "Your 16, Your Beautiful".

First Row: Chris Berggren, Greg Thomas, Jane Poston, Chris Shapcott, Leslie Thomas, Culby Cassidy, Kay Lewis, Brian Williams. Second Row: Marcia Schrader, Randy Penwell, Cheryl King, Susan Bewley, Dan Snow, Twyla Schrader, Carole Clark, Jim Herzberg, Sharon Rusk.

### YR1975PG088

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Front Row: Mr. Avise: Sponsor, Dixie Laire: Editor, Jeff Fast; Co-Editor. Second Row: Julie Watts, Frieda Kasha, Diane Black, Carol Dumler, Sarah Darnold, Dan Snow. Third Row: Lonnie Grashorn, John Saikaly, Dianne Dumler, Laverna Black, Debbie Shadbolt. Back Row: Kenny Oltmanns, Susan Phillip, Brad Dickey, Terry Ross, Ronnie Simmons, Chris Shapcott.

Front Row: John Saikaly: Editor, Dixie Laire: Editor, Mr. Avise: Sponsor. Second Row: Micki McCuen, Kathy Grimit, Diane Black, Chris Shapcott, Janie Gray, Julie Watts. Back Row: Greg Thomas, Jim Parker, Jeanna Hampel, Becky Patterson, Margaret Marsh, Dan Snow.

#### YR1975PG089

**Annual Staff** 

To the VHS Students:

Well, the 1974-75 Bluejay is finished for another year! Our work could be compared to an assembly line, with a lot of deadlines to meet. We worked hard to preserve all the memories made during the year, and we hope you enjoy each and every page.

Sincerely,

Editor and Assistant Editor

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No one really knows the work that goes into a job that involves more than just keeping books and balances. Mrs. Greenfield is more than just a principle's secretary, she's responsible for typing and always within reach to answer the calls on the intercom. She's always willing to help whenever someone interrupts her work countless times a day. We want to say thank you for all the patience and co-operation she has given. With sincere appreciation we proudly dedicate the 1975-76 Bluejay Annual to Mrs. Carol Greenfield.

#### YR1976PG003

We can never go back, It's over and done.
We can never go inside
And be one of them again.
Reflect upon the past
And remember well.
Look through and shed a tear,
And imagine what might have been.
Then turn, go one—life is waiting.
Seniors

### YR1976PG004

Seniors

"We Hope Mankind Will Join Us, And the World Will Live As One."

PAUL BANGSTON "If I learned one thing in school, it was how to answer the call Honey do this, Honey do that!" Class Officer Treasurer 3, President 4; Student Council 4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Council 2,3,4; Drum Major 2; SWI Honor Band 4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; All-School Play 4; FFA 1,2,3,4 Reporter 3, Vice-President 4; Football 1,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 3,4 President 4; Science-Math Club 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4; FCA 1. KIM JAMISON "Behold, I am here." Class Officer President 2, Vice-President 4; Student Council 2,3,4 Vice-President 3; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1, 2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Council President 4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; All-School Play 2, 4; FFA 1,2 Treasurer 2; Football 1,2,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Science-Math Club 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4; FCA 1. JULIE JACOBS "Whenever you see her, her mouth is flying." Class Officer Treasurer 1, Secretary 4; Student Council President 4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Council 2; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4 Cabinet 4 Vice-President 4; Track 1,2; Softball 1,2,3,4; Golf 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 4; Science-Math Club 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 1,2,3,4 Editor 3,4; Band Queen Candidate 4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Y-Teen Queen Candidate 4. JEFF FOCHT "I'd like to be bashful, but the girls won't let me!" Class Officer Secretary 3, Treasurer 4; FFA 1,2,3,4 Point System 2, Reporter 3, President 4; Football 1,2,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Science-Math Club 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4.

#### YR1976PG005

DAVE ANDERSEN "I tell you, they need more men like me." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Swing Choir 4; FFA 1; Basketball Manager 3; Science-Math Club 1,2,3,4.

DUANE BERGREN "Life's to short to hustle." Student Council 3; FFA 1,2 Sentinel 2; Track Manager 1; Science-Math Club 1.2.3.

SUSAN BEWLEY "Sing away sorrow; cast away care." Chorus 1,2,3,4; Swing Choir 3,4; Basketball Manager 1.2.3.

DIANE BLACK "She has a good time, having a good time." Chorus 1,2,3; Y-Teens 1,2,3; Basketball 1; Volcano Staff 3,4.

CARL CARLSON "I came, I saw, I left."

SARAH DARNOLD "I use to have a dog named Bee-boo, but I don't need him anymore because now I have a teddy bear." Class Officer President 1; Student Council 1; Chorus 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4 Cabinet 2,3,4 Co-President 4; All-School Play 2; Track 1; Golf 4; Basketball 1,2; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Science-Math Club 1,2,3,4 President 4; Annual Staff 2,3,4; Volcano Staff 2,3; Homecoming Queen 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Y-Teens Queen

Candidate 4; Track Queen Candidate 1,2; Cheerleading 3,4; Spanish Club 2,3,4 Vice-President 3; Betty Crocker Leadership Award 4.

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BRAD DICKEY "Why hurry to school? It will be there when I get there." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; SWI Honor Band 4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Football 1,2,3; Golf 1,2,3; Science-Math Club 1,2,3; Volcano Staff 2; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4.

CAROL DUMLER "You don't have to be a nut, to hang from a tree." Concert Band 1,2; Stage Band 2; Y-Teens 1.2.3.

JOE FITZWATER "All great men are dying; I don't feel to well myself." Class Officer Vice-President 2, President 3; Student Council 3; FFA 1,2,3; Parlimentarian 2, Sentinal 3; Football 1,2,4; Track 3,4; Baseball 1; Basketball 1,3; Science-Math Club 1,2,3,4; FCA 1.

KENT GAGE "Underneath this mild exterior—lies a little bit of Evil Kneival." FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 2,3, 4. JIM HERZBERG "I've got a general idea, now what do I do with it." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 2, 3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Swing Choir 1,2,3,4; Creston Little All-State Chorus 3; FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2; Baseball 3,4; Science-Math Club 1,2. KATHY KERR "Ruff, Ruff!!" Student Council 3,4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Chorus 4; Swing Choir 4; Creston Little All-State Chorus 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Softball 3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 2,3,4 Vice-President 4; Science-Math Club 2; Band Queen 4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Y-Teen Queen Candidate 4; Track Queen Candidate 3,4; Pep Club 2,3.

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KAY LEWIS "She has a Sunday School face and Saturday night ideas." Class Officer Secretary 1; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Band Council 1; SWI Honor Band 4; Creston Little All-State Band 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Secretary 4; Swing Choir 1,2,3,4; Creston Little All-State Chorus 3,4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 1,2,3,4; All-School Play 2,3; Basketball 1; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Science-Math Club 1,2,3; Band Queen Candidate 4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart Candidate 4; Y-Teen Queen Candidate 4; Track Queen Candidate 3; Cheerleading 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4 President 4; Chorus All-State Festival 3. RUSSELL LINT "Man was not made to hurry." Basketball Manager 3,4; Science-Math Club 3.

TERESA MARCKMANN "Her outward efforts are expressions of her inward thoughts." Y-Teens 1,2,3; Science-Math Club 1,2; Pep Club 1.

MARGARET MARSH "I don't run after men, but I keep up a fairly brisk trot." Class Officer Vice-President 1; Concert Band 1,2,3,14; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4 Cabinet 1,2,3,4 Treasurer 3, Co-President 4; Track 1, 2; Golf 4; Science-Math Club 1; Volcano Staff 3; Band Queen Candidate 4; Y-Teen Queen 4; Cheer-leading 1,2,3,4.

MARILYN MOORE "I don't care how you spell my name, I'm going to change it soon anyway." Y-Teens 2; Volcano Staff 1.

KENNY OLTMANNS "Studying is for the birds, and I can't fly." FFA 1,2; Football 1,2; Track 1,2; Letterman's Club 2; Science-Math Club 1,2,3; Volcano Staff 4.

#### YR1976PG008

BECKY PATTERSON "I use to be quiet and shy, but now I'm a senior." Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Creston Little All-State 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4 Cabinet 2,3,4; All-School Play 2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 4; Science-Math Club 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 3; Volcano Staff 3,4 Editor 3,4; Band Queen Candidate 4; Y-Teen Queen Candidate 4; Track Queen 4; Pep Club 2,3,4 President 4.

MIKE SCHAFER "Tell me Mike, if you had it to do all over, would you fall in love with yourself again?" Class

Officer Treasurer 2, Vice-President 3; Football 1, 2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Baseball 3,4; Golf 1; Basketball 1, 2,3; Wrestling 4; Science-Math Club 1,2,3,4; FCA 1.

CHRIS SHAPCOTT "In his lifetime man plays many parts, but Chris is only interested in one." Student Council 1; Chorus 3,4; Swing Choir 3,4; Creston Little All-State Chorus 3,4; All-School Play 2,3,4; Football 2; Track 1,2,3,4; Football Manager 1; Basketball Manager 1; Letterman's Club 1,2,3,4; Science-Math Club 3; Annual Staff 3; Volcano Staff 3,4 Editor 4; Spanish Club 3,4 Secretary 3, Treasurer 4; Creative Writing Club 4.

MARK SHIRLEY "Beware, the fury of a silent man." Chorus 1; Swing Choir 1; FFA 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3; Cross Country 4; Baseball 2; Basketball 1,2,4.

#### YR1976PG009

RONNIE SIMMONS "Studying never killed anyone, but I don't like to take chances!" FFA 2,3; Golf 1,2,4; Basketball 2; Letterman's Club 2; Science-Math Club 1; Volcano Staff 3,4.

LORI WAGAMAN "If teachers would listen to me, they'd learn a lot." Chorus 3; Volcano Staff 4; Creative Writing Club 4.

JULIE WATTS "So I've graduated, what else is new." Student Council 2,3; Chorus 1,4; Swing Choir 4; Y-Teens 1,2,3,4; FFA 4; Track 1; Golf 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Science-Math Club 1; Volcano Staff 3,4; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4; FFA Sweetheart 4.

BRIAN WILLIAMS "When there's a will there's a way; and when there's a way, I will." Student Council 1; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Swing Choir 1,2,3,4; FFA 1,2,3; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Baseball 1,2,3; Golf 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 1,2,3; Science-Math Club 1,2,3; Volcano Staff 4; FCA 1.

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Duane Bergren

Kay Lew is

Chris Shapcott

Kim Jamison

Julie Jacobs

Sarah Darnold

1976 Nonor Qraduates

Receiving Honor Medallions from Principal, Mr. Rubin, and Superintendent, Mr. Williams, are Chris Shapcott, David Anderson, Sarah Darnold, Julie Jacobs and Kay Lewis.

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Underclassmen

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Juniors

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Kevin Anderson Jerry Archer Susan Armstrong Gail Baldwin David Boggess

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Sports

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Varsity: First Row: Manager Gaillyn Kinser, Becky Patterson, Julie Watts, Julie Jacobs, Marcia Schrader, Shelley Wright, Janie Gray, Marcia Forsythe, Manager Cindy Currin. Second Row: Head Coach Tom Niedermeyer, Pam Grashorn, Nancy Leichty, Deanna Hampel, Tracy Greenfield, Laura Brock, Gail Cassidy, Manager Susan

Patterson (not pictured Kathy Kerr).

Jr. Varsity: First Row: Diane Jenkins, Janet Forsythe, Chris Haley, Laura Brock, Shari Walters; Tracy Greenfield, Lesia Haer, Marcia Forsythe. Second Row: Manager Cindy Currin, Donna Halda, Patty Grashorn, Tina Gulick, Carole Clark, Karen Helzberg, Sherri Fast, Diane Gourley, Kim Greenfield, Gail Cassidy, Marcy Wright, Betty Lukens, Manager Susan Patterson, and Coach Bob Russell.

#### YR1976PG021

Nancy, Marcia, and Kathy play tough defense against the East Union Eaglettes.

Kathy lobs the ball over a Corning girl as the guards move the ball into the forward court.

Tracy gets fouled as she drives to the basket.

Shelley makes a quick pass to Becky as she about steps out of bounds.

Tracy puts the ball toward the basket.

Villisca wins the tip on a jump ball.

Villisca wins the tip on a jump ball.

#### YR1976PG022

### Jayette Track

First Row: Laura Brock, Karen Herzberg, Kim Greenfield, Diane Jenkins, Becky Patterson, Kathy Kerr, Tracy Greenfield. Second Row: Gail Cassidy, Sherri Fast, Cindy Baldwin, Kathy Crum, Betty Lukens, Lori Peterson, Shari Walters, Kay Agnew. Not Pictured: Pam Grashorn.

Coach Larry Hummel was very pleased with the success of the 1976 Jayette Track Season which broke four school records. The team earned a total of 70 metals and 12 ribbons for the season with the highlight being a third place finish in the Jayette Relays. The team had 16 members and were led by captains Kathy Kerr and Becky Patterson. With continued desire and determination, the future looks very promising for the Jayette tracksters.

Coach Hummel hands out medals at the Jayette Relays.

### YR1976PG023

Lori Peterson, Kathy Kerr, Becky Patterson, and Tracy Greenfield set the record in the 440 Relay with a time of :54.8.

Kim Greenfield set a record in the 100 Meter Hurdles with a time of :17.6.

Diane Jenkins set a record in the Mile Run with a time of 6:08.

Laura Brock, Kathy Kerr, Becky Patterson, and Kim Greenfield set the record in the Shuttle Hurdle Relay with a time of 1:14.5.

Ughhhh!

Lori Peterson shows her skill in high jumping.

### YR1976PG024

Football

Villisca finished the season with a fine record of 6-2. We also shared the Tall Corn Conference with Greenfield. The people making the 1975 All Conference Team Offense are Joe Williams, split end; Rich Northup, Tackle; Mike Schafer, Quarterback; 1st string Defense are Jim Herzberg, lineback; Brian Williams, Deep back. The 2nd string All Conference are Paul Gangston, Mitch Jergenson, and Chuck Fast. Steve Solt, and Bryce Franson. A job well done!!!!!

# YR1976PG025

1st row; Kent Jackson, Jim Herzberg, Terry Westerlund, Steve Solt, Bryce Sunderman, Joe Williams, Jim Parker, Kim Jamison, Chuck Fast, Paul Bangston, Rich Northup, 2nd row; Greg Haer, Marc Stephens, Tim Schroeder, Bill Enarson, Jeff March, Bryce Franson, Rod Fast, John Schafer, Kevin Anderson, Donnie Marsh, Bill Shipley,

Jeff Focht, 3rd row; John Marsh, Kenny Brown, Marvin Shipley, Lloyd Black, Cecil Stephens, Victor Dicks, Craig Smith, Larry Pond, Junior Hanson, Gary Loutzenihser, Kent Gage, Vic Spencer, 4th row; Randy Nelson, Kelly Taylor, Rod Focht, Mark Boggess, Robbie Marsh, Marty Schroeder, Brian Herzberg, Calvin Haley, Mike Marsh, John Gustafson, 5th row; Mike Hall, Bill Halda, Dwight Sunderman, Jeff Brown, Joe Fitzwater, Miich Jergenson, Bryan Williams, Jack Campbell, Mike Schafer, and Dale Albrecht. Coaches; Tom Niedermeyer, Carl Johnson, Gary Baker, Bob Russell, and Manager Mike Baker, SCORES

# US THEM

26	Bridgewater-Fontanelle	18
36	Mt, Ayr	8
34	Lenox	8
19	Greenfield	13
12	Corning	20
39	East Union	0
19	Bedford	7
12	Griswold	20

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#### YR1976PG026

Big Blue Machine

Varsity. Kneeling: Manager Russell Lint, Greg Haer, Mark Shirley, John Schafer, Joe Williams, Bryce Sunderman, Marc Stephens, Head Coach John Nardini. Standing: Manager Cindy Baldwin, Tom Darnold, Mitch Jergenson, Paul Bangston, Terry Westerlund, Kent Jackson, Manager Karen Rhamy.

The Villisca Bluejay Basketball Team finished the season with a record of 6-12 and 5-7 in the Tall Corn Conference. The Bluejays were stalked with bad luck throughout the season. The Jays lost eight games by eight or less points and dropped three two point games. The Roundballers lost Brian Williams due to a car accident in December. Brian was scoring over 16 pts. a game.

The Jays struggled through the last half of the season and many underclassmen were called upon to fill in. The Bluejays played with desire and coach Nardini was very proud of them. Terry Westerlund was voted unanimously first team all conference and Kent Jackson received honorable mention. John Schafer provided the team with fine leadership while Paul Bangston gave his all in this most difficult season . . Bryce Sunderman showed a great deal of desire and hard work. Four of the five starters will be back next year with Marc Stephens, Greg Haer, Rod Fast giving them a boost. A fine group of freshmen should add to the varsities strength. At the finish of the season the members of the team were, Seniors--Paul Bangston, Mark Shirley. Juniors—John Schafer, Terry Westerlund, Bryce Sunderman, Marc Stephens, Tom Damold. Sophomores--Rod Fast, Greg Haer, Bill Enarson, Mike Baker, Kent Jackson, Keith Anderson. Freshmen--Brian Herzberg, Craig Smith, Calvin Haley, Lloyd Black, Ken Brown, Jerry Fisher, Marc Boggess. Managers; Russel Lint, Cindy Baldwin, Karen Rhamy. Head Coach--John Nardini Asst. Coach--Gary Baker

# YR1976PG027

1975-1976

Junior Varsity—kneeling, Greg Haer, Bill Enarson, Lloyd Black, Marc Boggess, Ken Brown, Jerry Fisher, Rod Fast, standing—Asst. Coach Gary Baker, Mitch Jergenson, Keith Anderson, Calvin Haley, Brian Herzberg, Mike Baker, Craig Smith

John Schafer scores an easy two,

Terry Westerlund gets inside position.

### YR1976PG028

BlueJay Track

First row: Jim Sand, Chuck Fast, John Schafer, Marc Stephens, Bryce Sunderman, Tim Schroeder, Mike Schafer, Mitch Jergenson. Second row: Jack Campbell, Marty Schroeder, Rich Northup, Joe Williams, Jim Parker, Larry Pond, Kim Jamison, Mark Boggess, Cecil Stephens? Third row: Joe Fitzwater, Kent Jackson, Brain Herzberg, Calvin Haley, Jerry Fisher, Russel Bewley, Manager John Marsh.

This years track team was led by an experienced nucleus. They finished 5th in the BlueJay Relays and in the upper half of all other relays that they participated in. Two school records were broken this year. Mike Schafer set a new record in the 220 yd. dash with a clocking of 23.3 seconds. Joe Williams set a new mark in the 880 yd. run with a time of 2:05.4. Mike Schafer also advanced to the State Track Meet in the 220 yd. dash. With the experienced gained this year the returning tracksters should have a fine season next year.

Marc begins his leg of the two mile relay.

Mike sprintin' hard in the 220 yd. dash.

#### YR1976PG029

1976 BlueJay Relay Queen and her court: Kathy Kerr, Crownbearer Steve Herzberg, Flowergirl Brenda Russell, Queen Becky Patterson, Marcia Schrader, Marty Kernen, Tracy Greenfield, Sherri Fast.

John runs his half.

Marc takes him hurdle for hurdle.

#### YR1976PG030

Wrestling

1st row: Coach Doug Myers; Jim Sand, 126; Russell Bewley, 126; Eddie Saikaly, 132; Gary Loutzenhiser, 145; Richard Northup, 155; Chuck Fast, 167; Mike Schafer, 185; Bill Halda, unlimited; Coach Robert Lemon. 2nd row: Manager Judy Shirley; Eddie Carlson, 98; Dale Albrict, 105; James Lint, 112; John Marsh, 145; Victor Spencer, 155; Robby Marsh, 155; Jr. Hanson, 138; Mike Hall, 118; Ray Smith, 98; Cecil Stephens, 98. This year Villisca added wrestling as a school sponsored activity. Since this is the first year of interschool competition, meets were scheduled with mostly Jr. Varsity squads from our conference and other area schools. Our beginning wrestlers are to be commended for their fine showing against wrestlers from other schools with far more experience. As a team, the high point of the season was bringing home the first place trophy from the South Page Tournament. Although each wrestler had many individual accomplishments, Chuck Fast's second in the sectional tournament, qualifying him for the district tournament, was very impressive for a first year wrestler. Since most of the wrestlers are coming back next year a fine season is expected.

Ray gets a pin!

#### YR1976PG031

Hold him one second more. John rolls his man. Don't look at me! Vic gets ready to wrestle. Shoulder to shoulder. Instruction time.

#### YR1976PG032

Cross Country

Ray Agnew, Jerry Fisher, Coach Paul Barker, Mark Shirley, Jim Sand, not pictured, Ken Smith.

"Take him. Mark!"

"Faster, Jim, Faster!"

"Only a mile and a half to go!"

#### YR1976PG033

Golf

Front Row: Julie Jacobs, Janet Oblinger, Sherri Rubin, Diane Herzberg, Julie Watts Back Row: Linda Rubin, Angela Herzberg, Karen Rhamey, Margaret Marsh, Sarah Darnold, Coach Tom Niedermeyer Front Row: Coach Tom Niedermeyer, Rod Fast, Tom Darnold, Eddie Saikaly, Greg Haer, Back Row: Lloyd Black, Gary Loutzenhiser, Bryan Dickey, Mike Baker, Kenny Brown

#### YR1976PG034

Spirit Leaders

Top: Linda Rubin, Kay Lewis, Leslie Thomas; Bottom: Trudy Greenfield, Marty Kernen, Sarah Darnold, Margaret Marsh.

Go Blue! Go White!

The start of another game.

#### YR1976PG035

Here we go Bluejays! Here we go!

Front: Cindy Mauderly; Back: Lori Peterson, Chris Berggren, Sherri Rubin, Denise Walters, Diane Herzberg.

#### YR1976PG036

Summer Sports
Boy's Varsity Baseball.

Gilr's J. V. and Varsity Softball.

Junior Varsity Baseball.

Janie Gray pitches during batting practice.

# YR1976PG037

Activities

# YR1976PG038

Queen Sarah rides first class.

Sophomores capture first place honors.

Freshmen take the second place award.

Beth Sunderman and Danny Munger ride with attendants Kathy and Julie.

It takes kids to make a parade!

The junior class receives third place.

### YR1976PG039

Football is what Homecoming is all about!

The Federettes join our convoy!

Homecoming '75

The theme of this years' homecoming was the bi-centennial and as usual, various activities were carried on throughout the week. Float building started on Monday, and this year there were also several entries by different organizations withing the school and community. There was the usual painting of the town, and the street in front of the school was painted with good wishes for the team. Thursday night involved the queen coronation and pep rally, and finishing touches on the floats.

The parade on Friday also had various changes. The route started at the Enarson Building and passed on by the Good Samaritan Center to enable the residents to see the parade activities. There were also a few additions to the parade, this included the queen and her candidates riding in horse-drawn buggies and the Stanton High School Marching Band. After the parade the cheerleaders held their spirit fare and bake sale in

#### the park.

The evening set the spirit for the game between the Villisca Jays and the East Union Eagles. After the victory, everyone made their way up to the dance. The armory had been beautifully decorated by the Science and Math Club, and music was provided by the Michael Dodge Band.

All in all it was a week well spent and due to the co-operation of the students, faculty, and community, Homecoming '75 was a great success.

When the saints go marching on!

Attendants Julie and Kay enjoy their buggy ride.

#### YR1976PG040

Miss Sarah Darnold Homecoming Queen

### YR1976PG041

Julie Jacobs

Kathy Kerr

Julie Watts

Kay Lewis

#### YR1976PG042

1976 Prom

Carousel

May 8

1976

Chowing down buffet style!

Brian enjoys Prom.

### YR1976PG043

The band Sweet Field provides good music.

Torn enjoys the dance.

Waitresses for the evening were Diane Gourley, Lesia Haer, Chris Haley, Marcy Wright, Lori Peterson and Shari Walters.

Waiters were Rod Fast, Greg Haer, Marvin Shipley, Bill Halda, Torn Wright, Bill Enarson.

I'm starving!

Chris thinks he's a waiter,

### YR1976PG044

1976 Graduation

Commencement speakers: Brian Williams, Julie Jacobs, Paul Bangston, Chris Shapcott Valedictorian Sarah Darnold and Salutatorian Julie Jacobs are happily rewarded.

Kay "may never pass this way again."

Duane Bergren receives his diploma.

Nancy and Bryce guide the way for the seniors

### YR1976PG045

Dave and Sarah leave the school but the memories will remain forever.

Congratulations, graduates!

The chorus bids the seniors "good-bye."

The administration congratulates the seniors.

Patiently awaiting the big moment.

The graduates are ready to depart with their diplomas clutched close at their sides.

### YR1976PG046

Awards Night "76"

Villisca Community Leadership Award--Julie Jacobs.

Henry Tyler Scholarship Awards--Kim Jamison.

American Bar Association—Citizenship Award - - Paul Bangston.

Oscar Schroeder Scholarship--Becky Patterson.

In addition to the awards and scholarships on these two pages, the following were presented:

State of Iowa Scholarship Award--Julie Jacobs, Dave Andersen, and Sarah Darnold.

Betty Crocker--Family Leadership Award--Sarah Darnold.

Northwest Missouri State University--Sarah Darnold, Julie Jacobs, Mike Schafer, Kay Lewis.

Nebraska Wesleyan--Chris Shapcott.

University of Northern Iowa--Sarah Darnold.

Iowa Western Community College--Jeff Focht.

Villisca Community Technical Scholarship Award--Mark Shirley.

### YR1976PG047

Reno Smith Chapter--Future Farmers of America Scholarship--Jeff Focht.

Y-Teen Scholarship--Margaret Marsh.

Hy-Vee Scholarship- -Sarah Darnold.

Departmental Scholarship of Social Studies Award--Kathy Kerr.

Iowa Farmer Degree--Jim Herzberg.

Sutphen Memorial Scholarship--Dave Andersen.

#### YR1976PG048

Fall Entertaniment

Paul Bangston, alias "Clarence", takes time off to work on lines.

Sherri, Karyn and Becky help each other get ready for opening night.

3-ACT CAST

The Writer Jerry Archer

The Sneeze

Cherdyokov John Strand

General Jeff Hess

General's wife Pat Haley

Mrs. Cherdvokov Tina Gulick

The Park

Woman Pat Haley

Man Jeff Hess The Audition

Actress Diane Herzberg

Auditioner Tina Gulick

Dress rehearsal requires early work on make-up.

LITTLE RED RIDING WOLF

Little Red . . Sherri Rubin

Mother Wolf . . . Becky Patterson

Henry Van Snoot . . . Chris Shapcott

Clarence Snagweed . . . Paul Bangston

Mother Goose . . . Jane Posten

Grandmother Wolf . . . Marcia Schrader

Tree . . . Karyn Snow

Asst. Director . . Debbie Smith & Laura Brock

Director . . Mrs. Ann Meyer

### YR1976PG049

Spring Entertaniment

Go Sherri! Go!

You eat bumblebee sandwiches?

ANYBODY OUT THERE

Oliver Pankey . . . . Jim Sand

Sophie Googan . . . . Diane Herzberg

Millie Milhaus . . . Sherri Rubin

Thief John Strand

Herbie Henderson . . Chris Shapcott

Officer Jeff Hess

Anita Wrenn Becky Patterson

Doctor Dickey . . . Jerry Archer

Bill McSwain . . . Dan Snow

Stranger & Man . . Pat Haley

Asst. Director . . .

Lesia Haer

Stage Manager . . Karyn Snow

Director Mrs. Ann Meyer

Becky makes a great referee.

And keep these pennies safe . .

Becky makes a great referee.

### YR1976PG050

Athletic Banquet

This year's Banquet consisted of a potluck supper in honor of the athletes of the past year.

Guest speaker Ms. Betty Werner, girls athletic director at Drake University.

The Athletic Department is kept on the right track with the support of the athletics and community.

This year's sportsmanship awards went to Kathy Kerr, Paul Bangston and Julie Jacobs.

#### YR1976PG051

Organizations

# YR1976PG052

**Annual Staff** 

First Row: Mr. Paul Barker, Advisor; Julie Jacobs, Editor; Marty Kernen, Assistant Editor; Tim Schroeder, Book Sales Manager. Second Row: Dan Snow, Kim Greenfield, Diane Jenkins, Diane Herzberg, Tracy Greenfield, Gary Loutzenhiser. Third Row: Teri Hart, Gaillyn Kinser, Nickie Taylor, Angela Herzberg, Rich Northup, Mark Focht.

(Not pictured: Sarah Darnold, Advertising Manager.)

Gary and Tim rearrange the wrestling page.

Mr. Barker answers another of Julie's many questions.

Diane and Diane peck away, trying not to make any mistakes.

Tim cautiously glues the picture down.

#### YR1976PG053

Student Council

First Row: Mr. Dwight Lewis, Advisor; Bryce Sunderman, Treasurer; Julie Jacobs, President; Marty Kernen, Vice-President; Marcia Schrader, Secretary. Second Row: Marcia Forsythe, Tom Wright, Chuck Fast, Paul Bangston, Kim Jamison. (Not pictured: Kathy Kerr, Teena Weaver.)

Marty reads the minutes of the meeting over the intercom.

Stepperettes entertain at a basketball game.

Santa accepts the invitation to visit a game.

#### YR1976PG054

Y-Teens

The Y-Teens has contributed much during the year to improve our community. One of their major projects was to paint the city's fire hydrants in the patriotic colors of red, white, and blue. This was the fourth year that the girls managed the recycling center project. Another Community service includes taking tickets and operating the concession stand at the theater.

The social events for the year were the Y-Teens Twirp Dance, Mother-Daughter Tea, and the Christmas Kiddie Party.

"Stars and Stripes Forever"

The Y-teens contribute to Homecoming festivities.

### YR1976PG055

CABINET: Cindy Mauderly, Margaret Marsh, Julie Jacobs, Trudy Greenfield, 2nd row; Lesia Haer, Diane Herzberg, Becky Patterson, Linda Rubin, Kay Lewis, Sue Armstrong, Gail Baldwin, Debbie Gray, 3rd row; Cheryl Dicks, Brenda Shapcott, Angela Herzberg, Karen Rhamy, Cindy Baldwin, Teri Hart, Sharon Rusk, and Pam Grashorn

"Madgic" the Y-teens Twirp Dance band.

### YR1976PG056

Mr. Nelson and Duane Bergren with 1000 boxes of oranges.

The Reno Smith Chapter sold 1000 boxes of oranges. The total receipts for this years sales were \$5612. The Chapter made \$1474.

# YR1976PG057

FFA Officers: Bryce Sunderman, reporter; Bill Shipley, reporter; Chuck Fast, treasurer; Paul Bangston, Vice-president; Jeff Focht, President; Jim Sand, secretary; John Schafer, point system; Mr. Nelson, Sponsor.

The Villisca Reno Smith Chapter of FFA was active in many activities during the 1975-1976 school year.

Members participated in the standard activities of Green-hand Initiation, National Convention, State

Convention, Parent-Member banquet, Slave Auction, Sweetheart Dance and Fruit Sales. 1976 saw the local chapter host the Southwest Sub-district FFA Contest and sponsor a marathon basketball game with proceeds going to the Bi-Centennial Committee. Service projects for the community included unloading and loading the Bloodmobile Trucks, making and painting cemetery containers, compacting chemical cans for farmers, rennovating the theater front and preparing foundation for a band stand in the city park.

Queen Julie Watts; Candidates, Kathy Kerr, Sarah Darn-old, Kay Lewis, Julie Jacobs reigned over the Sweetheart Dance.

Annual Crop Show

Marc Stephens and Rich Northup with a display of the various areas of the Program of Work for 1975-1976.

### YR1976PG058

Chorus '76

The Swing Choir gives the number "Bye-Bye Blues" an extra kick. Front Row: Bernard Cerven, Jane Poston, Cheryl King, Marc Stephens, Tina Gulick, Chris Shapcott, Kay Lewis, Dale Albrecht, Carole Clark, and Susan Bewley. Back Row: Dan Snow, Chris Berggen, Dave Andersen, Lori Peterson, Jim Sands, Kathy Kerr, Julie Watts, and Jim Herzberg.

Maestro Kay Lewis, senior, directs the chorus as this years student director selected by Mrs. Nelson. Kay Lewis, senior, was selected as outstanding vocal senior for her musical interest, attitude, contribution, and dedication to the vocal department. She was selected by the chorus members.

The chorus and swing choir started the year rather "cool-ly" with an Ice-cream Social which was very entertaining and fun. Another new project this year was a vocal exchange concert with the Glenwood Chorus. The year was both busy and successful in presenting a Christmas, spring, and pops concert. They also participated in Creston Little All-State, Southwest Iowa Vocal Festival, and small group contest. Singing at several community events, churches, and for Baccalaureate and Commencement helped make this year a big success.

#### YR1976PG059

Each year the juniors and seniors in chorus take part in a 400 voice chorus with other high schools in the area. These people represented Villisca this year. Front Row: Cheryl King, Sharon Rusk, Gaillyn Kinser, Kay Lewis, Leslie Thomas, and Mrs. Nelson, chorus instructor. Back Row: Chris Berggren, Chris Shapcott, Bernard Cerven, Kathy Kerr, and Marc Stephens.

These are the girls with the "magic-fingers" Kay Lewis, Lori Peterson, and Cheryl King. They accompany chorus, swing-choir, and all contest entries.

Front Row: Carole Clark, Susan Bewley, Tina Gulick, Bernard Cerven, Dale Albrecht, Jim Sands, Marc Stephens, Kathy Kerr, Kay Lewis, Julie Watts, and Mrs. Nelson. Second Row: Debbie Smith, Cheryl Dicks, Lori Herman, Jim Herzberg, Chris Shapcott, Dan Snow, Diane Herzberg, Gaillyn Kinser, Teri Hart, and Sharon Rusk. Back Row: Cheryl King, Lori Peterson, Jane Poston, Mary Bailey, Pat Haley, Chris Berggren, Sherri Rubin, Shari Walters, Leslie Thomas, and Cindy Mauderly.

### YR1976PG060

Concert Band Stage Band Band Council

# YR1976PG061

Bluejay Band

This year the band collected four, trophies and many fond memories.

The marching band season started out very well with a first place rating at the Mt. Ayr Band Days Parade. We qualified for the evening finals and returned home with the second place trophy. Then it was on to the State Marching Band Contest, held this year in Harlan, Iowa. We returned home with a II rating.

Other highlights were being asked to play at the Stanton Homecoming Parade and also playing for the opening of the Villisca Aluminum Foundry.

Kathy Kerr was elected band queen this year and she represented the band very well at various events. Another girl that did a fine job was Jeanna Hampel, our drum majorette.

The small group contest was held in Villisca this year and was a huge success. We had many I ratings. The concert band also traveled to Missouri Valley where we received a II.

Stage Band also ended a successful year by staging a jam session on the last day of school.

Hard working band members this year were: Freshmen--Kay Agnew, Mary Bailey, Mark Boggess, Laura Frock, Christy Ellis, Diane Gourley, Patty Grashorn, Tina Gulick, Donna Halda, Calvin Haley, Chris Haley, Debbie Helm, Brian Herzberg, Betty Lukens, Lori Peterson, Cecil Stephens, Marcy Wright; Sophomores--Mike Baker, Chris Berggren, Gail Cassidy, Carole Clark, Cindy Currin, Jim Freshour, Kim Greenfield, Teri Hart, Angela Herzberg,

Diane Herzberg, Karen Herzberg, Diane Jenkins, John Marsh, Janet Oblinger, Susan Patterson, Sherri Rubin; Juniors--Ray Agnew, David Boggess, Bernard Cerven, Pam Grashorn, Trudy Greenfield, Patty Hall, Jeanna Hampel, Marty Kernen, Cheryl King, Gaillyn Kinser, Tammy Marsh, Linda Rubin, Sharon Rusk, Bill Shipley, Denise Walter; Seniors--Dave Andersen, Paul Bangston, Brad Dickey, Jim Herzberg, Julie Jacobs, Kim Jamison, Kathy Kerr, Kay Lewis, Margaret Marsh, Becky Patterson.

Drum Majorette: Jeanna Hampel

Honor Bandsmen: Kim Jamison, Paul Bangston, Dave Andersen

#### YR1976PG062

Band Queen Margaret Marsh, ;Julie Jacobs Queen Kathy Kerr Becky Patterson, Kay Lewis

### YR1976PG063

Front Row: Chris Shapcott, Editor; Becky Patterson, Co-Editor; Mr. Kevin Av ise, Sponsor. Second Row: Nancy Leichty, Shelley Wright Marcia Schrader, Janie Gray, Teri Hart, Shala Salway, Third Row: Eddie Saikaly, Diane Black, Marilyn Moore, Jeanna Hampel, Julie Watts, Lori Wagaman. Fourth Row: Debbie Clark, Rick Weaver, Kenny Oltmanns, Joe Williams, Jim Parker. Not pictured: Brian Williams, Ronnie Simmons, and Ken Smith. This year the Volcano Staff held a contest for interested students to submit ideas for a new headline for the paper. Gail Cassidy's entry was chosen as the winning one. It is pictured at right.

#### YR1976PG064

Librarian's Club

First Row: Mrs. Paxson, Sponsor; Lori Campbell, Secretary; Lori Kinser, Treasurer. Second Row: Donna Halda, Pat Grashorn, Kay Agnew, Patty Barr, Teri Mattson, Susan Armstrong, Sandy Garey, Traci Bartlett, Betty Barr. Third Row: Susan Patterson, Susan Hollingsworth, Debbie Smith, Sheila Refer, Teri Hart, Betty Lukens, Cindy Currin, Sheila Way. (Not Pictured: Shala Salway, Vice-President).

Science & Math Club

First Row: Mr. Meyers, Sponsor; Mike Schafer, David Anderson, Julie Jacobs, Becky Patterson, Jeff Focht, Joe Fitzwater, Paul Bangston, Kim Jamison, Brian Williams, Mr. Niedermeyer, Sponsor. Second Row: Tracy Greenfield, Nickie Taylor, Janet Oblinger, Trudy Greenfield, Treasurer; Linda Rubin, Secretary; Brenda Shapcott, Angela Herzberg, Sherri Rubin, Diane Gourley, Cathy Garey, Lori Peterson, Judy Shirley, Christy Ellis. Third Row: Mary Bailey, Sherri Fast, Tammy Doan, Karen Snow, Marcy Wright, Debbie Gray, Kathy Crum, Pam Grashorn, John Schafer, Tim Schroeder, Ray Agnew, Dave Boggess. Fourth Row: Ray Shepherd, Tom Darnold, Vice-President; Steve Solt, Bryce Sunderman, Bill Shipley, Bryce Franson, Richard Northup, Chuck Fast, Jim Sand, Mark Focht, Marc Stephens, Jeff Salway, Danny Snow, Trend Heard. (Not Pictured: Sarah Darnold, President).

### YR1976PG065

Pep Club

First Row: Kay Lewis, Leslie Thomas, Trudy Greenfield, Linda Rubin, Margaret Marsh, Marty Kernen. Second Row: Becky Patterson, President; Sherri Rubin, Lori Peterson, Diane Herzberg, Cindy Mauderly, Denise Walter, Chris Berggren. Third Row: Angela Herzberg, Brenda Shapcott, Debbie Gray, Nickie Taylor, Tina Gulick, Cheryl Dicks, Debbie Smith, Karen Rhamy. Fourth Row: Kathy Crum, Pam Grashorn, Jeanna Hampel, Cathy Garey, Diane Gourley, Marcia Schrader, Chris Shapcott, Cindy Currin, Susan Patterson, Cindy Baldwin.

"Lettertmen's Club

First Row: Mr. Nardini, Sponsor; Leslie Thomas, Janie Gray, Becky Patterson, Trudy Greenfield, Linda Rubin, Jeanna Hampel, Pam Grashorn, Kay Lewis, Chris Berggren. Second Row: Cindy Baldwin, Sherri Rubin, Kim

Greenfield, Patty Hall, Marty Kernen, Shelley Wright, Nancy Leichty, Marcia Schrader, Tim Schroeder, Mike Baker. Third Row: Diane Herzberg, Tracy Greenfield, Gail Cassidy, Marcia Forsythe, Karen Herzberg, Diane Jenkins, Jim Sand, Secretary-Treasurer; Marc Stephens, Brian Williams, Greg Haer. Fourth Row: Paul Bangston, President; Julie Jacobs, Kim Jamison, Bryce Sunderman, Steve Solt, Bill Shipley, Bryce Franson, Chuck Fast, Chris Shapcott, Eddie Saikaly. Fifth Row: Bill Halda, Tom Darnold, Richard Northup, John Schafer, Mitch Jergenson, Kent Jackson. (Not Pictured: Kathy Kerr, Vice-President.)

#### YR1976PG066

Spanish Club

First row: Mr. Patterson, Sponsor; Cheryl King, Secretary; Kay Lewis, President; Marcia Schrader, Vice-President; Chris Shapcott Second row: Kim Jamison, Marty Kernen, Paul Bangston, Sue Armstrong, Carole Clark, Betty Lukens, Chris Berggren, Denise Walter, Pam Grashorn Third row: Danny Snow, Pat Haley, Lori Kinser, Teri Hart, Linda Rubin, Shari Walter, Sherri Rubin, Angela Herzberg, Mike Baker, Gail Cassidy Fourth row: Brad Dickey, Gaillyn Kinser, Jane Poston, Pat Hall, Tammy Marsh, Debra Helm, Tammi Gray, Lori Herman, Russell Bewley, Jeff Focht.

For the past 3 years, members of the Spanish Club had dreamed of a trip to Mexico. Finally, after much planning and hard work, it looked as if the trip was to become possible. The nineteen members planning to go began to think up projects and carrying out fund raising drives. Some of the projects included bake sales and concession stands, raffles, car washes and selling zip code books. In the fall they also had their annual banquet and all proceeds went to the trip.

The group was to travel by Greyhound bus and be gone 12 days for the excursion. The tour would include sight-seeing in Mexico City, Tasco, and Acapulco and take in such events as the bull fight, cliff diving and souvenir shopping. Plus, the people would have a chance to become more familiar with the native dances of the country and view the Pyramids of the ancient Aztec civilization.

All in all it sounded like a very exciting way to spend a vacation. Through all the planning involved it should prove to be a successful trip. Buena Suerte!

### YR1976PG067

Curriculum

### YR1976PG068

Administration

Principal Mr. Ron Rubin and Superintendent Mr. Bob Williams. Secretaries; Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Strickland and Mrs. Greenfield.

#### YR1976PG069

Mr. Bob Williams, Superintendent, and Mr. Ron Rubin, Principal, have completed their 3rd Year at VHS. They have been aided by very competent secretaries, Mrs. Harris, Mrs, Greenfield, Mrs. Strickland, and Mrs. Dickey. The Villisca Community School Board for the 1975-19'76 school year include the following members: Mrs. Roberta Dickey, Board Secretary; Mrs, Susie Enarson; Mr, Joe Northup; Mr, Bob Williams, Superintendent; Mr, Don Williams; Mr, Bob Brown, Board President; and Mr. Gene Westerlund,

Dorothy Strickland, Jr. High Secretary.

Roberta Dickey, School Board Secretary.

Carolyn Harris, Superintendent's Secretary,

Carol Greenfield, Principal's Secretary.

# YR1976PG070

Language Arts

Mr. Joel Patterson, Mrs. Kim Smith, Mr. Kevin Avise

Activities in Spanish III class included a three-week game of monopoly in Spanish to learn the money system. Cheryl, Marcia, Dave and Marty are wheelin' and dealin' to see who is the best operator.

The Language Arts Department consists of many different areas of English. Mr. Joel Patterson is in charge of the basics; his classes include Words and Usage, Basic Grammar, and Introduction to Literature. He also teaches three classes of Spanish. Mr. Patterson feels that everyone should become well acquainted with their own English language, as well as take into consideration that other languages do exist. So much more can be learned when one just takes the time to explore another language. He is also the Spanish Club Sponsor, Senior Class Sponsor and involved with Basketball Ticket Sales.

Mrs. Smith heads the Speech Department. Her classes include Oral Interpretation, Speech I and II, Playreading, and Basic Composition. She feels that the speech department gives you a chance to perform in front of an audience and really helps build self confidence. Extra curricular activities include the Speech Contest and Sophomore Class Sponsor.

Mr. Avise teaches the writing courses of the department. Advanced Composition, American Literature Short Story, Creative Writing and Journalism are among his class schedule. Mr. Avise states that each student progresses at different speeds and needs as much attention as time allows. He tries to make writing a challenge so the students can do their best and not experience failure. Extra activities include Creative Writing Club Sponsor, Sophomore Class Sponsor, and Volcano Advisor,

#### YR1976PG071

Out with the old, in with the new. Becky Patterson helps the new editors of the Volcano, Debbie Clark and Marcia Schrader, get the paper ready for publication.

Chris Shapcott proved to be very talented in the field of dramatics. He is pictured as he does his dance for the Mime production which he directed in the spring.

Taking it easy? No, Gail is just practicing for her project in Oral Interpretation.

Jane, Laura, and Marty talk things over as they discuss who killed who in their version of a mini-mystery. Science Department

### YR1976PG072

Science Department

Mr. Carl Johnson, Mr. Gary Baker, and Mr. Doug Myers head up the V.H. S. Science Department.

Eddie Carlson displays his directional microphone at the Science

Marc Stephens and Bill Shipley demonstrate their wind tunnel.

Is it accurate Paul?

Mr. Carl Johnson teaches Molecular and Environmental Biology. He feels that biology helps to improve the insight into the world of living things around us. Mr. Johnson also teaches Physical Education and is Football and Track coach. Mr. Gary Baker teaches S. M. Biology and through use of observation, experimentation, and evaluation hopes to broaden the student's outlook on life and the things around them. Mr. Baker also teaches 7th and 8th grade science, is 7th grade sponsor, is High School Football, Basketball, and Baseball coach. Mr. Doug Myers teaches: Physical Science, Chemistry, Physics, and Senior Science Seminar. Physical Science is an introductory course, made up of chemistry and physics principles. It provides a general understanding of the laws controlling our environment. Chemistry is the basic building block of our environment. In this course students go from the atomic particles to the formation of large molecules including the changes involved. Physics supplies a rather in depth study of the basic laws of nature. Senior Science Seminar is a laboratory class which provides a preview of some college level chemistry experiments, and introduces and expands on some basic concepts by using the discovery method. Mr. Myers is also Wrestling coach and Science and Math Club sponsor,

### YR1976PG073

Denise and Marty look at their plant and bug collections.

Let's see. What do we do next?

I think I found it.

Are you taking your test Dave?

Next take out a sample of bacteria.

#### YR1976PG074

**Business Department** 

In charge of the Business Department at VHS are Mr. Paul Barker and Mrs. Betty Gourley. Mr. Barker's many classes, Personal Typing, Typing II, Office Practice, Business Math, Business Law, and Accounting, provide for students, a business background for additional training or schooling. He is also Cross Country Coach, Annual Staff Advisor and Junior Class sponsor in charge of magazine sales.

Mrs. Gourley's classes, Shorthand I and Typing I, are for personal value or use and to prepare students for gainful employment.

Mr. Barker and Mrs. Gourley make up our Business Department.

The girls work hard in Typing II.

Karyn Snow works steadily in Typing I.

### YR1976PG075

The students listen closely in Accounting. Cheryl receives high honors in Typing II. Gail's getting help in Business Math. The students are hard at work in Accounting. "NO.!! didn't do it!"

#### YR1976PG076

# Math Department

Mr. Robert Lemon, Mr. Tom Niedermeyer

Mr. Robert Lemon teaches Algebra I and Jr. High Math. His overall goal, he explains, is to help the students learn the basic fundamentals of math and to learn to think. In Algebra I the purpose is to learn the fundamentals in preparation for higher mathematics. Mr. Lemon is also the Assistant Jr. High Coach, Jr. High Girl's Track Coach, Wrestling Coach and the Sophomore Class Sponsor.

Mr. Tom Niedermeyer is the teacher of General Math, Pre-Algebra, Geometry, Algebra II, and Senior Math. He states that mathematics is inexhaustible as an area of discovery and creativity. A person does not have to be good at all aspects of mathematics in order to appreciate it, to enjoy it, and to use its methods. Every student has the chance to be challenged at any creative, emotional, or scientific level he desires to attain. Mr. Niedermeyer is also the Assistant Football Coach, Head Coach of Girl's Basketball, Boy's and Girl's Golf Coach, the Math-Science Club Sponsor, and Senior Class Sponsor.

The students are staying busy preparing their assignment for the day.

The geometry class is busy proving that line AB is parallel to line CD,

#### YR1976PG077

The students puzzle over what to do next.

Help is whispered across the aisle.

Isn't there enough work? Then we better add to the assignment.

Will everyone please face toward the front of the room!

# YR1976PG078

Social Studies Department

Mr. Nardini and Mr. Chuck Gifford

World History projects turn out a success.

Mr. John Nardini and Mr. Chuck Gifford head up the Social Studies department at Villisca. Mr. John Nardini teaches American History, Economics, and sophomore World History. Mr. Nardini hopes to provide a basic understanding of how our government works and also to promote the idea that even though we have lots of problems, we still live in the best nation in the World. Extra-curricular activities are Athletic Director and member of the lowa Athletic Directors Board of Control. He also is the Head Coach for Boys Basketball, along with that he is a sponsor of Lettermans Club.

Mr. Chuck Gifford is one of the best in his field of teaching. Mr. Gifford teaches American History, Social Studies Seminar, Contemporary Problems and Geography. Mr. Gifford believes that his primary purpose or goal in the class room is for his students to learn how to learn and become educated. A secondary goal is for students to enjoy learning and make an education a worthwhile experience. Extra-curricular activities which Mr. Gifford leads in are Y-Teens and Cheerleading. Mr. Gifford also is involved in many town activities such as the Bicentennial committee.

C. S. P. class studys Warren Report.

#### YR1976PG079

I have some good news and I have some bad news.

Early American Home

Bicentennial dress

Does anyone have any questions?

#### YR1976PG080

Physical Education Department

The P.E. Departments instructors are Mr. Carl Johnson, Mrs. Marilyn Carlson, and Mr. Vince Else. Heading our senior high boys Physical Education Department this year is Mr. Johnson. He teaches Molecular Biology, Environmental Biology, as well as Physical Education. He is also Head Football and Track Coach. Mrs. Marilyn Carlson, a fourth year teacher at VHS, makes up the Jr. & Sr. High School girls P. E. She also teaches Drivers Education and is a Y-teen sponsor.

Teaching the Jr. & Sr. High boys Physical Education is Mr. Vince Else. He also teaches in the Junior High and is Jr. High Football coach and Jr. High Boys track coach.

The students through the physical education program will gain a knowledge of several skills. It provides activities for students to try new sports and skills. Many activities are included which have carry-over value for students after graduation. Included in this area are golf, tennis, swimming, bowling, and others. The activities are varied so that there will be something of interest for everyone.

Phys Ed girls practice Tinikling.

### YR1976PG081

Tennis anyone?

Winter P. E. practices roundball.

Becky's power serve.

# YR1976PG082

Fine Arts Department

Comprising the fine arts department are Mrs. Linda Pearson, Mrs. Marla Nelson, and Mr. Terry McFee. Patty gets tied up.

Practicing for a concert.

Heading our art department is Mrs. Linda Pearson. Mrs. Pearson has been with VHS for 7 years. Last year the Design I class painted the Youth Center and lunchroom in graphic art; also, several boys created a 10 foot paper maiche free form sculpture. Mrs. Pearson says her goals are to stimulate creative ventures for her

students, resulting in a feeling of accomplishment and self worth for them. Mrs. Pearson teaches elementary art, Jr. High Art, Basic Art, Design I & II, Drawing and Painting, and Ceramics. She is also a Senior Class Sponsor. Making up the band department is Mr. Terry McFee. This is Mr. McFee's first year at VHS. He teaches high school and Jr. high marching, concert, and stage bands. He also teaches instrumental lessons for Jr. high. Mr. McFee also acts as a Jr. high sponsor. The band director's purpose is to maintain the band program and to strengthen its weak points. Mr. McFee's goal is to help the students gain a,broader spectrum of music in his musical world.

Mrs. Marla Nelson is teacher of vocal activities at VHS. This is Mrs. Nelson's second year at VHS. The chorus, this year, has been very busy presenting an ice cream social; also a Christmas, Winter Pop, and Spring concerts. They've also taken part in an exchange concert with Glenwood High School, Creston Little All-State, and SW lowa Vocal Festivals. Mrs. Nelson teaches elementary Jr. high and high school chorus. Other activities include Fresh-Soph Vocal Festival, Group Contest, and SW lowa Vocal Festival.

#### YR1976PG083

Pep band shows their talent. Brian bows a little too soon. Their song and dance routine. I'd walk a mile for a I rating. Making herself a craft.

#### YR1976PG084

Vocational Department

Vocational Department consists of Larry Hummel, Sandra Munger, and Chris Nelson.

Metals class designs and molds tools.

Mr. Larry Hummel, Mrs. Sandra Munger and Mr. Chris Nelson make up our vocational department.
Mr. Hummel teaches the Industrial Arts department at V.H. S. It is comprised of electricity, metals, power mechanics, woodworking, carpentry, plus architectural and mechanical drawing. This is Mr. Hummels eighth year at V.H. S. The purpose of I. A. is to give every child an opportunity to explore areas of his choice and to discover his likes and dislikes. Mr. Hummel is also Jr. Class sponsor and Girls Head Track coach.

Miss Sandra Munger makes up the Home Economics department. This is Mrs. Munger's second year at V.H. S. Mrs. Munger teaches Boy's Home Ec, Family Living, Child Development, Basic and Advanced Foods, Basic and Advanced Clothing, and 7th and 8th grade Comprehensive. Her purpose is to prepare students for their future roles in life and to be prepared to accept the responsibilities of caring for themselves independently and in the family unit. Her extra-curricular activities include Junior Class sponsor, Cheerleading co-sponsor, and teaching adult night classes.

This year's Vocational Ag Department is headed by Chris Nelson. This is Mr. Nelson's third year at V.H.S.,He teaches Voc. Ag. I, II, III, and IV and also vocational welding. Mr. Nelson's purpose in Voc. Ag. is to provide instruction in agriculture for persons planning to farm and for persons planning to work in an ag related field. He is also involved as FFA advisor and Junior Class Sponsor

#### YR1976PG085

Ronnie learns to be a housewife. Gourmets delight. Ag class at its' best. Working on their raft. Mick assembling his project. Veteran welder doing his job.

#### YR1976PG086

#### Services

Guidance Counselor Mr. Dwight Lewis and School Nurse Mrs. Helen Sutphen.

Mr. Lewis is Guidance Counselor. The purpose of the Guidance program is to help students assess their strengths and weaknesses and make realistic decisions concerning their goals in life and develop a program for them. With this purpose in mind, Mr. Lewis helps students in areas of: curriculum and course selection; vocational and educational planning; solving personal problems; applying for and obtaining jobs; obtaining scholarships and financial aids; develop qualities of citizenship, leadership, cooperation, and a positive attitude towards work.

Mr. Lewis is also the sponsor of the student council.

Mrs. Sutphen is our school nurse. She is responsible for all health records of the students in Villisca Com\_munity Schools. The goal of her department is to promote better student health in any areas where need arises by counseling students, parents, and faculty relating to health problems of the student by the early identification of physical problems and early correction of health problems.

Yes Greg, I promise it won't hurt.

Mr. Lewis helps Bobby with his schedule.

#### YR1976PG087

#### Resources

Librarian Mrs. Zelma Paxson and Resource teacher Mrs. Marlene Kennon.

Mrs. Paxson is school librarian. Her job is to keep a neat library with the books in the proper places. Well organized files and check out methods are an advantage to students as well as the librarians. Her other goal is selecting materials, books, and periodicals that will be helpful and interesting to the students.

Mrs. Kennon is the Resource teacher. The resource room (Learning Lab) is set up to serve students who have seen a need to improve their school related skills. The resource room teacher simply aids the students in deciding where the difficulty lies and selects appropriate techniques or methods that best fit the students needs. The Learning Lab is open to give resource help in academic areas, promote study skills, provide activities in self-awareness, and promote discussion of alternative approaches to life situations.

Hey, what's the author's name?

And then she told him

### YR1976PG088

Personnel

Top; Bus Drivers: John Kemery, Lawrence Lewis, Bus Manager; Loretta Phyllis, Don Wirth, Lois Frazee, Joe Shields, Alma Bewley, Manford Sanders, Gladys Abbott. Middle; Cooks: Elvera Peterson, Hilda Minge, Irma Brannan, Edna Weaver, Mildred Doan. Right; Custodians: Jim Bewley, Joe Shields, Keith Gourley.

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#### YR1977PG002

### Dedication

We don't really stop and think what her daily schedule is, but it is full from early morning, until the 3:40 bell. She checks out books and magazines and keeps the library looking neat and orderly. She helps teachers as well as students find research material endless times each day, and is always there and willing to help to the best of her ability. Her loyalty and dedication is an asset to the Villisca High School.

With sincere appreciation, we dedicate the 1976-77 Bluejay Annual to Mrs. Zelma Paxon.

### YR1977PG003

Seniors

### YR1977PG004

Bryce Sunderman President
Jeff Salway Vice-President
Terry Westerlund Secretary-Treasurer
Nancy Leichty Student Council Representative
Ray Agnew
Kevin Anderson

# YR1977PG005

Jerry Archer Susan Armstrong Gail Baldwin David Boggess Jeff Brown Bernard Cerven

#### YR1977PG000

Debbie Clark Bob Dumler Karl Enarson Chuck Fast Mark Focht Bryce Franson

#### YR1977PG007

Cathy Garey Doug Garey Pam Grashorn Janie Gray Trudy Greenfield Kathy Grimit

#### YR1977PG008

Patty Hall Jeanna Hampel Jeff Hess Patty Johnson Marty Kernen Cheryl King

### YR1977PG009

Mick King Gailyn Kinser Michele Mack Donnie Marsh Tammy Marsh Rich Northup

#### YR1977PG010

Jim Parker David Penwell Sharon Rusk Shala Salway Jim Sand John Schafer

### YR1977PG011

Marcia Schrader Tim Schroder Bill Shipley Steve Solt Marc Stephens John Strand

#### YR1977PG012

Dwight Sunderman Denise Walter Rick Weaver Joe Williams Shelly Wright

#### YR1977PG013

**National Honor Society** 

**David Boggess** 

Cheryl King

Marcia Schrader

Gaillyn Kinser

Trudy Greenfield

Marty Kernen

James Sand

Tim Schroeder

Receiving Honor Medallions were Cheryl King, Salutatorian; Gaillyn Kinser; Tim Schroeder; David Boggess, Valedictorian; James Sand; Rich Northup; and Marty Kernen.

### YR1977PG014

In memory of our friend and classmate, Victor Spencer. All of us will remember Vic in our own way, but we all will remember. His first love, football; his joking and kidding, along with his serious moments, will always staywith us.

#### YR1977PG015

Underclassmen

#### YR1977PG016

First row: Keith Anderson, Mike Baker, Cindy Baldwin, Betty Barr, John Barr, Rosie Beedle, Chris Berggren. Second row: Tracy Greenfield, President; Bill Enarson, Vice-President; Lorrie Campbell, Carole Clark.

Third row: Bryan Dickey, Secretary; Angela Herzberg, Treasurer; Fred Crouse, Kathy Crum.

Fourth row: Cindy Currin, Victor Dicks.

Fifth row: Debbie Dumler, Rod Fast.

Sixth row: Marcia Forsythe, Jim Freshour, Sandy Garey.

Seventh row: Steve Carlson, Debbie Gray, Kim Greenfield, Jon Gustafson.

### YR1977PG017

First Row: Greg Haer Bill Halda, Pat Haley, Terry Haley, Jacque Hanson, Jr. Hanson, Terri Hart. Second Row: Diane Herzberg, Karen Herzberg, Kent Jackson, Diane Jenkins. Third Row: Mitch Jergenson, Lori Kinser, Jim Lint, Gary Loutzenhiser. Fourth Row: Roxanna McCuen, Jeff Marsh, John Marsh, Cindy Mauderly, Janet Oblinger, Susan Patterson, Earl Peterson.

Fifth Row: Larry Pond, Jane Poston, Kim Ramsey, Shelia Refer, Sixth Row: Karen Rhamy, Sandy Schenck, Brenda Shapcott, Marvin Shipley. Seventh Row: Dan Snow, Nickie Taylor, Leslie Thomas, Tammy Turpen, Sheila Way, Tom Wright, Paul Yeske.

# YR1977PG018

First Row: Kay Agnew, Dale Albrecht Mary Bailey, Patty Barr, Traci Bartlett, Steve Bergren, Russell Bewley Second Row: Lloyd Black, Mark Boggess, Laura Brock, Kenny Brown

Third Row: Georgene Bruce, Jack Campbell, Eddie Carlson, Gary Carlson

Fourth Row: Cheryl Dicks, Dale Dunn Fifth Row: Christy Ellis, Lynn Fairman

Sixth Row: Sherri Fast, Jerry Fisher, Rod Focht

Seventh Row: Pres. Lesia Haer, Vice Pres. Kelly Taylor, Secr. Lloyd Wilson, Tres. Judy Shirley

#### YR1977PG019

First Row: Janet Forsythe, Diane Gourley, Patty Grashorn, Daniel Gray, Tammi Gray, Tina Gulick, Donna Halda Second Row: Calvin Haley, Chris Haley, Mike Hall; Laura Hanson Third Row: Trent Heard, Debbie Helm, Lori Herman, Brian Herzberg

Fourth Row: Susan Hollingsworth, James Kasha, Betty Lukens, Mike Marsh, Robbie Marsh, Randy Nelson, Lori Peterson Fifth Row: Marty Schroeder, Ray Shepherd Sixth Row: Craig Smith, Debbie Smith Seventh Row: Karyn Snow, Danny Sparks, Cecil Stephens, Kim Turpen, Shari Walters, Teena Weaver, Marcy Wright

#### YR1977PG020

First row: David Archer, Clifford Baldwin, Beth Berggren, Linda Bergren, Jane Boggess, Jim Brown Second row: Roger Burns, Scott Cooper Third row: Brett Crouse, LeRoy Currin

Fourth row: Eugene Currin, Tom Williams-Pres., Steve Schafer-V. Pres., Ronnel Herzberg-Sec., Lynette Carlson-Tres., Teresa Ellis Fifth row: Kris Enarson, Doris Garey Sixth row: Troy Gilland, Denise Gray Seventh row: Cindy Greenfield, Marilyn Halda, Pam Haley, Gary Hardisty, Greg Hart, Leslie Harter

#### YR1977PG021

First row: Nanette Leichty, Ronnie Lukens, Charlie McCuen, Debbie Magneson, Jeff Moore, Cindy Overman Second row: Pat Perry, Kay Roberts Third row: Darla Schrader, Frank Sheperd Fourth row: Danny Smith, Teri Jo Spencer Fifth row: Karla Sunderman, Debbie Taylor Sixth row: Not pictured; Mitzi Taylor, Lisa Wagaman Seventh row: Patricia Walters, Tammy Westerlund, Lynette Wiechman, Sarah Williams, Dennis Wright

### YR1977PG023

Activities

### YR1977PG024

1976 Homecoming

The Booster Club contributes to the fun of Homecoming.

This float is all washed up!

The seniors work hard on their last Homecoming float, I think?!

The Spirit of '76.

Where would we be without kids?

# YR1977PG025

Homecoming '76 holds many memories for the students of VHS. I'm sure the majority of these memories are good. Cheryl King was crowned Homecoming Queen Thursday night at the rally in the gym. More excitement followed Friday afternoon with the early dismissal of school and the parade. The cheerleaders sponsored a Spirit Fair in the park after the parade. Friday night the Jays earned another one of their many victories against the Corning Raiders with a score of 7-0. The victory was celebrated at the dance following the game. Shelley and Debbie Queen candidates?

Villisca's future music makers give a fine performance.

Hup, two, three, four! Hup, two, three, four!

The cheerleaders take a break!

### YR1977PG026

Homecoming Queen Miss Cheryl King

#### YR1977PG027

Marcia Schrader Debbie Clark Nancy Leichty Shelley Wright

#### YR1977PG028

Wizard of Oz

Dorothy Diane Herzberg
Tin Man Jeff Hess

Lion Dan Snow

Scarecrow Marcia Schrader
Good Witch Cheryl King
Bad Witch Pat Haley
Historian Jane Poston
Aunt Em Lori Kinser

Uncle Henry and Oz John Strand

Head Ozite Carole Clark

Munchkins, Ozites and Trees Jane Boggess

Leslie Harter Patricia Walters Diane Gourley Beth Berggren Marcy Wright Sarah Williams

Flying Monkeys Laura Brock and Tina Gulick

Music—Marcia Dougherty

Director-Ann Meyer

The Scarecrow, the Tin Man, Dorothy and the Lion following the yellow brick road.

The ozites are receiving commands from the Great Oz.

#### YR1977PG029

You're a Good Man Charlie Brown

Linus dancing with his blanket.

Charlie Brown Bernard Cerven

Lucy Jane Poston

Schroeder Dan Snow

Patty Carole Clark

Linus Jeff Marsh

Snoopy Marty Kernen

The Chorus sang in all the performances too, and played a very big part.

Combo:

Bass Lynn Fairman

Percussion Kris Enarson and Lynette Carlson

Flute Jeanna Hampel Piano Cheryl King

Lights John Strand and Jane Boggess Combo Director Terry McFee

Vocal Director Marcia Daugherty

Director Ann Meyer

#### YR1977PG030

Jr.-Sr. Prom
"This One's for You"
April 30, 1977
Music by McNasty

#### YR1977PG031

The Jr.-Sr. Prom was held in the Villisca Armory. Waitresses for the evening were Lynette Carlson, Kris Enarson, Ronnel Herzberg, Nanette Leichty, and Debbie Taylor. Waiters were Steve Bergren, Kenny Brown, Rod Focht, Daniel Gray, and Kelly Taylor. After the dance the movie, The Wild McCullochs, was shown at the Rialto Theatre.

#### YR1977PG032

Awards Night

Mr. Shavdahl awards Cheryl King, Jim Sand, and David Boggess as State of Iowa Scholars.

Denise Walters recieves the Departmental Scholarship.

Mr. Shavdahl presents the Honor Society. Left to right: Gaillyn Kinser, Cheryl King, Tim Schroeder, Trudy Greenfield, Jim Sand, Marcia Schrader, David Boggess, and Marty Kernen. Greg Haer, Master of Ceremonies, is seated.

Jim Sand

### YR1977PG033

Debbie Clark and Shelley Wright received the Iowa Western Community College Scholarships.

The Villisca Community Technical Scholarships were awarded to Trudy Greenfield and Marc Stephens.

Guy and Mabel B. Dirrum Educational Trust Fund Jim Sand and Marcia Schrader

American Bar Association Citizenship Award

Henry Tyler Scholarship Trudy Greenfield

Hy-Vee Scholarship and Betty Crocker Family Leadership Award Cheryl King

Sutphen Memorial Scholarship Tim Schroeder

Y-teen Scholarship Gail Baldwin

Iowa Farmer Degree Jim Sand and Bill Shipley

Oscar Schroeder Scholarship Jim Sand

# YR1977PG034

Commencement 1977

Commencement speakers: Bryce Sunderman, Jeanna Hampel, Jim Sand, and Marty Kernen

Class Motto: We are not afraid of tomorrow, for we have seen yesterday and love today.

Getting ready for the big moment.

Do I look allright?

# YR1977PG035

Clarinet trio and mixed quartet say "good-bye" to the seniors.

Coming

Going

Waiting for our diplomas.

Slow down, Marty!

### YR1977PG036

# Athletic Banquet

The athletic banquet this year was held Saturday, April 2. The theme was "Flower the world with Athletes." The featured speaker was Bob Bruce, sports announcer for WOWT, a TV station in Omaha. The sportmanship

awards given every year to a senior boy and girl were awarded to Jim Sands and Jeanna Hampel. Above: Jim and Jeanna accepting their sportsmanship awards.

Picture at left: Bob Bruce

#### YR1977PG037

Sports

#### YR1977PG038

Cross Country

The Villisca Cross Country team participated in the Abraham Lincoln (Council Bluffs), Red Oak, Clarinda, Creston, Harlan, and Shenandoah invitational meets during the 1976 season. Jim Sand and Jerry Fisher were Villisca's only returning lettermen. First year runners were Dale Albrecht, Russell Bewley and John Strand—all of which earned letters for the season. Competing with the Hawkeye Eight and Council Bluffs schools presented quite a challenge for the Blue Jays but they were dedicated to keep doing their best. A new format of district meets to qualify for the state meet saw a trip to Fort Dodge where Villisca moved up to a larger class and found the state competition much improved over prior years. Jim Sands and Dale Albrecht accomplished a first for Villisca High students as they traveled to Council Bluffs for a 13-mile run at Lake Manawa. Left to right: Jerry Fisher, Russell Bewley, Dale Albrecht, John Strand. Not pictured: Jim Sands Dale moves up in the pack.

Russell finishes hard.

John's on candid camera.

#### YR1977PG039

Golf

Left to Right: front row, Lynette Carlson, Janet Oblinger, Karen Rhamy, Angela Herzberg, Brent Crouse, Mike Hall, Trent Heard; Back row, Coach Capaldo, Kristin Enarson, Ronnel Herzberg, Diane Gourley, Lori Peterson, Kathy Crum, Greg Haer, Steve Schafer, Rob Marsh, Cliff Baldwin.

Concentrate, Lynette!

Angela chips on.

Greg's a swinger.

# YR1977PG040

Front row, from left: Jeff Brown, Joe Williams, John Schafer Don Marsh, Mitch Jergenson, Chuck Fast, Bryce Sunderman, Marc Stevens, Jim Parker. Second row, from left: Bill Shipley, Larry Pond, Greg Haer, Jeff Marsh, Marvin Shipley, Bill Halda, Tim Schroeder, Rod Fast. Third row, from left: John Marsh, Dale Albrecht, Mike Hall, Ken Brown, Brian Herzberg, Mark Boggess, Steve Bergren, Rich Northup. Fourth row, from left: Steve Solt, Craig Smith, Kelly Taylor, Randy Nelson, Cecil Stephens, Lloyd Black, Mike Marsh, Rob Marsh, Fifth row, from left: Jim Brown, Rod Focht, Tom Williams, Eugene Currin, Greg Hart, Roger Burns, Steve Schafer. Sixth row, from left: Head Coach Carl Johnson, Manager Mike Baker, Terry Westerlund, Bryce Franson, Kent Jackson, Assistant Coaches Bob Russell and Dale Ernster.

Tall Corn Champions

This year the Villisca High School Football team had a very good season. Their final record was 7 wins and 1 loss. With this record they tied for the Tall Corn Conference Championship. Also the Jays finished the season ranking No. 10 in Class A in Iowa. For this hard work and tremendous effort, the team members will definitely remember the season. The coaches this year were Head Coach Carl Johnson assisted by Mr. Bob Russell and Mr. Dale Ernster. Their careful planning and help during and before the games led to outstanding victories. This year Villisca was well represented in the Conference Team pickings. The 1st team offense consisted of Joe Williams, Wide Receiver, Rich Northup, Tackle, Bryce Franson, Center, and Chuck Fast, Runningback. 2nd team offense Greg Hear, Runningback. Honorable Mention Terry Westerlund, Quarterback, Marc Stephens, Wide

Receiver, and Jeff Brown, Guard. 1st team defense, Mitch Jergenson, Linemen, Chuck Fast and John Schafer Linebackers, and Bryce Sunder-man, Deepback. 2nd team defense, Bill Halda and Rich Northup, Linemen. Honorable Mention, Don Marsh, End, Jim Parker and Jeff Brown Linebacker, Joe Williams, Deepback.

#### YR1977PG041

Jays have a good defensive line.

"What is he saying?"

Score

We		They
20	Bridgewater	0
34	Mt. Ayr	0
29	Lenox	0
12	Greenfield	0
7	Corning	0
20	East Union	6
6	Bedford	9
20	Griswold	0

<sup>&</sup>quot;Oops!"

### YR1977PG042

### Wrestling

Front Row: Mike Hall-145, Steve Carlson-138, Russell Bewley-132, Jim Sand-126, Dale Albrecht-112, Gary Hardisty-98. Back Row: Coach Bob Lemon, Gary Loutzenhiser-155, Rob Marsh-167, Chuck Fast-185, Bill Halda-Unlimited, Judy Shirley—Mgr. (Not pictured—Assist. Coach Lowry.)

Dale tries for a pin

The Villisca wrestlers finished their first year varsity competition with a 2-8 dual record and two third place finishes in eight team tournaments. The Bluejays had given up years of experience to almost all their opponents. In competitions with schools having comparable experience the Bluejays more than hold their own. This year's team was led by seniors Chuck Fast, Jim Sand, and Jim Parker. Chuck Fast had the best performance record of 17 wins followed by Jim Sands and Dale Albrecht each with 11 victories. Although hamppered by lack of depth in most weight classes, the wrestler showed steady improvement throughout the year. With the enthusiasm evident in the nongraduating members of the team the coming years hold much promise.

### YR1977PG043

In control of things Instructions for the day Now I got ya! Steve Carlson in District competition

### YR1977PG044

Jayette Basketball

Front Row: Tracy Greenfield, Pam Grashorn, Jeanna Hampel, Marcia Schrader, Janie Gray, Shelley Wright, Nancy Leichty. Back Row: Coach Bob Russell, Mgr. Gaillyn Kinser, Sherri Fast, Diane Jenkins, Karen Herzberg, Janet Forsythe, Laura Brock, Lesia Haer, Marcia Forsythe, Mgr. Susan Patterson, Coach Dale Ernster. Janie drives the lane.

Shelley hooks it in.

#### YR1977PG045

The Jayettes finished their season with 3-15 record. However, this record does not reflect the effort and enthusiasm put forth by the team. There were many close games but unfortunately the Jayettes fell short of victory.

Janie Gray led the team in scoring and Marcia Schrader was the leading rebounder. Janie was also awarded Honorable Mention All Conference. Nancy Leichty was named to the Second Team All Conference as a guard. The Jayettes will be losing six seniors at graduation.

Power to the little people!!!

Front Row: Betty Lukens, Marcy Wright, Chris Haley, Shari Walters, Lesia Haer, Laura Brock, Lynn Fairman, Diane Gourley, Sherri Fast, Janet Forsythe. Back Row: Coach Bob Russell, Leslie Harter, Beth Berggren, Lynette Carlson, Tammy Westerlund, Karen Herzberg, Kris Enarson, Darla Schrader, Linda Bergren, Nannette Leichty, Sarah Williams, Coach Dale Ernster.

### YR1977PG046

### Bluejay Basketball

Left to right: Coach Capaldo, Bill Enarson, Rod Fast, Joe Williams, Kent Jackson, Brian Herzberg, Mitch Jergenson, Terry Westerlund, Bryce Sunderman, Mark Stephens, Greg Haer, John Schafer, Cecil Stephens, Coach Wood.

Terry works against a tough defense.

The Jays ended their season with a 13-7 record. Terry Westerlund led the Jays in both scoring and rebounding with a 22.3 and a 19.2 average respectively. Terry was also named to the 1st team all conference and 2nd team All Southwest Iowa.

Joe Williams was also awarded 2nd team all conference and honorable mention All Southwest Iowa.

The Jays will be losing five seniors, three of which are starters.

Mitch takes the jumpshot.

#### YR1977PG047

Jays await the rebound.

John blocks another shot.

Another fast break for Joe.

Front row left to right: Dan Smith, Jim Brown, Steve Schafer, Scott Cooper, Tom Williams, Troy Gilleland, Jeff Moore, Roger Burns. Second row: Coach Capaldo, Jerry Fisher, Bill Enarson, Mike Baker, Craig Smith, Keith Anderson, Calvin Haley, Cecil Stephens, Coach Wood.

#### YR1977PG048

#### Girls Track

Back row: Pat Perry, Kim Greenfield, Diane Jenkins, Sherri Fast, Sarah Williams, Laura Brock, Lynn Fairman, Janet Forsythe, Teri Jo Spencer, Coach Dale Emster Front row; Karla Sunderman, Beth Berggren, Jane Boggess, Leslie Harter, Pam Grashorn, and Tracy Greenfield.

Tracy Greenfield broke the record in the 100 yd. dash, with a time of 11.9.

The shuttle hurdle relay team consisting of Laura Brock, Lynn Fairman, Beth Berggren, and Kim Greenfield also broke a record with a time of 1:12.7.

#### YR1977PG049

The girls track team had a good season this year. There were many disppointments but there was also a lot of excitement. Like the time at Nishna Valley, when the announcer said that Villisca had won, but latter came back to say, we're sorry, we made a mistake, the trophy goes to Carson-Macedonia. The girls excitement dropped to total grief in just 60 seconds. The Girls broke 8 school records this year: 880 medley relay team; Leslie Harter, Sherri Fast, Sarah Williams, and Diane Jenkins, 2:00.0. Kim Greenfield in the 100 m. hurdles,

16.2. Laura Brock in the softball throw, 195' 6". The 440 relay team; Diane Jenkins, Sarah Williams, Kim Greenfield and Tracy Greenfield, 53.4. The other records broken are shown in the pictures of these two pages. The 880 relay team consisting of Kim Greenfield, Tracy Greenfield, Diane Jenkins, and Sarah Williams also broke a record running a 1:53.1.

-Sarah Williams broke the record in the high jump with a jump of 4'8".

Pam Grashorn is putting all her effort into this discuss throw.

Sherri Fast is showing her ability in the softball throw.

#### YR1977PG050

Blue Jay Track

Tammy receives her crown from Marc.

1977 BlueJay Relay Queen and her court: Patty Hall, Diane Jenkins, Flower-girl Jill Gray, Crownbearer Aaron Kline, Kim Greenfield, Queen Tammy Marsh, Lynn Fairman, Beth Bergren.

Mitch gives it all he has.

Joe in action.

#### YR1977PG051

First row: Mitch Jergenson, Dale Albrecht, Jim Sand, Jerry Fisher, Marty Schroeder, Cecil Stephens, Mark Boggess, Kent Jackson. Second row: Coach Carl Johnson, Joe Williams, Tim Schroeder, Brian Herzberg, Russell Bewley, Craig Smith, Bart White, Jeff Moore, Marc Stephens, Coach Bob Russell.

Marc takes the lead.

I know the finish line is here somewhere.

#### YR1977PG052

Bottom: Cindy Mauderly, Cindy Baldwin, Lesia Haer, Trudy Greenfield, Marty Kernen Top: Denise Walter, Angela Herzberg. Lori Peterson, Diane Herzberg

Sports Enthusiast

R-O-W-D-I-E

### YR1977PG053

**Future Cheerleaders** 

Big Bird

The Cheerleaders of 1977 were very busy this year keeping up the school spirit. Besides cheering for Basketball and Football games they cheered for Wrestling meets too. A great amount of effort is put into being a Cheerleader and these girls have done a great job.

Left to Right: Lisa Wagaman, Chris Berggren, Denise Gray, Ronnel Herzberg, Cindy Greenfield

### YR1977PG054

**Summer Sports** 

Stop that ball!

The Jays were coached by Steve Wood. The Jayettes were coached by Dale Ernster.

Keep your eyes on the ball, girls.

Coach Ernster says:

Catch it, Kent!

Which way did it go?

# YR1977PG055

Curriculum

#### YR1977PG056

Administration

Mr. Robert Williams has been Superintendent at Villisca for four years. In his spare time he enjoys refinishing antique furniture and playing tennis. He presently resides in Villisca with his wife, Jan and graduating son, Joe. Carolyn Harris has worked as the Superintendent's secretary for six years.

Mr. LeRoy Skavdahl, who came to Villisca from South Dakota, is in his first year as Jr.—Sr. High Principal. He enjoys photography as a hobby. He resides in Villisca with his wife, Sandy; son, Roger; and daughter, Karen. Carol Greenfield has worked in the Principal's office for ten years.

#### YR1977PG057

1976-77 School Board. Front row: Roberta Dickey; Susie Enarson, President; Margaret Shipley. Back row: Robert Williams, Gene Westerlund, Joe Northup, Bob Brown.

Roberta Dickey Secretary of School Board.

Dorothy Strickland Jr. High Secretary

### YR1977PG058

#### Resources

Joining us for her second year is Mrs. Kennon. Her job is taking charge of Learning Resources. The purpose of her job is to help students understand their lessons better and gain a better perspective of school in general. She lives in Stanton with her family and her hobby is oil painting.

Mrs. Paxson has been with our school for seven years. The purpose of her job is to keep the library clean, help students find the material they need, and making sure the books, magazines, and card catolog are in order. Her hobbies are reading, needlepoint, and macrame. She lives at 103 Fifth Avenue.

#### YR1977PG059

### Services

Mr. Fairman is the new guidance counselor this year at V.H.S. He resides at 201 E. 3rd with his wife, Virginia, his 2 daughters and son, Lynn, a sophomore, Beth, who is 4 years old, and Jeff who is in 7th grade. Mrs. Fairman teaches Jr. High Math and Pre-Algebra. Mr. Fairman likes to travel and go camping. His hobbies are fishing and flying and has been a pilot for 21 years. We would like to welcome the Fairmans and wish them luck. Mr. Fairman is also one of the Y-Teen sponsors.

Mrs. Sutphen, our school nurse, has been with our school for 12 years. The purpose of her job is to promote good health and good health habits. She goes to all three schools and has contact with from Kindergarten through their senior year. She always finds time to take a very personal interest in your problems.

### YR1977PG060

### Fine Arts

Teachers in the Fine Arts department this year are Mr. McFee, Mrs. Pearson, and Mrs. Dougherty. Mrs. Dougherty has just completed her first year of teaching in VHS. Along with Chours, she also has swing choir, girl's glee, and assorted small groups. She also helps a great deal with school plays. Mr. McFee is band director at VHS. His many duties include concert and stage band, marching band, and small groups. This is his second year of teaching at Villisca. The art teacher is Mrs. Pearson. Along with her many art classes, she is also sponsor of the Pep club and is a senior class sponsor.

Alrighty, be quiet and sing!

Mrs. Pearson gives Sherri Fast a helping hand.

# YR1977PG061

A lighter moment with Patty Haley and Janet Forsythe.

Mr. McFee and Rusty Poston jamming during one of Rusty's lessons.

#### YR1977PG062

This was Mrs. Fairmen's first year at VCHS. She has attended college at the University of Colorado in Boulder, Colorado, Butler University in Indianapolis, Indiana and has done graduate work at Laman College in Beaumont, Texas and Central Missouri State University in Warrensburg, Missouri. While traveling throughout the West this summer, Mrs. Fairmen plans on attending Western Montana State University. Her hobbies include reading, sewing, camping, and traveling.

In his third year, Mr. Lemon has been very active in wrestling and other sports. He teaches Algebra I, II, Geometry and Senior Math. His hobbies include working in his garden, remodeling his house, carpentry and masonary. This summer he will become acquainted with fatherhood.

#### YR1977PG063

Todays assignment What Mrs. Fairmen? Math Dept. Now What

Cecil-hard at work?!

Brian—the assignment is on the board.

### YR1977PG064

**Social Studies** 

Jane and Brenda check the stock markets in American History.

Who hasn't got one vet?

Mr. Ernster checks over Donna's answer.

Mr. Russell prepares to show another thrilling movie.

#### YR1977PG065

CSP studies the effects of pollution.

Carol quit cheating.

This year's Social Studies classes have two new teachers. Mr. Robert Russell, who is new to the High School, but not the school, finds little time to relax during the year as he is kept busy mowing the grass on school property. When he does have time off he enjoys riding bikes, going to softball and baseball games, to watch, and gardening. Mr. Dale Ernster, who is a first year teacher at V.H.S. likes to read, politics and history material, he also enjoys traveling and watching sporting events.

This is page 8, page 8.

Social Studies Seminar trip to the Hoover Library in West Branch.

# YR1977PG066

Science

The Science Department has two additional teachers this year. They are Mr. Lowry and Mr. Wood. Mr. Lowry is the sponsor of the Science Club. He was recently married during the spring of this school year. Mr. Wood is the head boys' basketball coach and the baseball coach. Mr. Johnson is the head football coach and the boys' track coach.

Ahh, let's let the girls do it.

Scientists at work!

Test time!

# YR1977PG067

What did you say this was supposed to be?

Let's see ...

Ha! Fooled them. They only thought that I was going to show a film.

Hmmm.

#### YR1977PG068

Mr. Avise's opinions on homework gets various responses. Sue eagerly awaits Mr. Patterson's homemade sombero.

Look at me while I'm talking to you.

#### YR1977PG069

Eye contact works both ways.

Language Arts

Teachers in the Language Arts Department keep busy even when they aren't teaching. Mr. Avise finds time for traveling, writing, and painting. He also spends a lot of his extra time playing with his son, Mike. Mrs. Smith enjoys golf and knitting. She is also interested in dramatics and helps prepare the students for speech contest. Mr. Patterson likes being with his wife and two daughters, Shani and Amber. He likes bowling, traveling, painting, and gardening. He is also interested in training and showing quarter horses.

You're kidding, I can't even speak English.

Mrs. Smith mingles with her students.

### YR1977PG070

Vocational

Mr. Charles Wilson teaches Industrial Arts. In his spare time he enjoys flying, farming, sports, and reading. Mr. Chris Nelson teaches Voc Ag. His hobbies include baseball, farming, singing, camping, and hiking. Mrs. Sandra Munger teaches Home Economics. In her free time she likes to travel, sew, and read. She also enjoys music. I never could work when someone was looking over my shoulder.

Are you sure this is going to be a sidewalk?

Camera Shy.

Three down and only 747 to go.

### YR1977PG071

Is this a group project?

Chow time!

One stitch at a time.

Well, it would help if you would turn the mixer on.

### YR1977PG072

**Business Department** 

Shelley works hard in shorthand.

Mary receives help from Mr. Barker in business math.

#### YR1977PG073

In charge of the Business Department for the 1976-77 school year was Mr. Paul Barker and Mrs. Betty Gourley. Mr. Barker's many classes included personal typing, typing II, secretarial practice, business math, business law, and accounting. Also, Mr. Barker was cross country coach and annual staff advisor. Shorthand and typing I were taught by Mrs. Gourley. All of these classes provide students with personal value and a background for further schooling or employment.

Mrs. Gourley explains the facts of typing to Nancy.

Always start the day with a smile.

But I never did it.

# YR1977PG074

### **Physical Education**

The Physical Education Department was headed this year by Mrs. Marilyn Carlson, Mr. Vince Else, and Mr. Carl

Mrs. Carlson is a fifth year teacher at V.H.S. and has Jr.-Sr. High Physical Education classes. She also teaches driver's education and is a Y-Teen sponser.

Jr.-Sr. High Physical Education is taught by Mr. Else and the remaining Sr. High classes are taken by Mr. Johnson. Mr. Else also coaches Jr. High Football, Track, and Summer Softball. Mr. Johnson's other classes include molecular biology and environmental biology. He is also Head Football and Track coach.

Mr. Johnson.

Mr. Else.

Girls learn to play raquetball.

#### YR1977PG075

Co-ed P.E. plays volleyball.

Trooper Bill Zenor teaches the girls skills in self-defense.

Mrs. Carlson.

#### YR1977PG076

**BUS DRIVERS** 

Lawrence Lewis, John Kemery, Lois Frazee, Joe Shields, Alma Bewley, Gladys Abbott, Melvin White, Don

Overman.

Personnel

CUSTODIANS

Joe Shields, Keith Gourley, Jim Bewley.

COOK

Hilda Minge, Elvera Peterson, Mildred Doan, Edna Weaver, Irma Brannan.

# YR1977PG077

Organizations

### YR1977PG078

Student Council

First row: Mr. Fairman; Sponsor, Tracy Greenfield, Nanette Leichty, Lesia Haer, Nancy Leichty, Chuck Fast, Kenny Brown, Greg Haer, Tom Williams, Mr. Skavdahl; Sponsor. Second row: Marcia Forsythe; Secretary, Marcia Schrader; Vice-President, Marty Kernen; President, Bryce Sunderman; Treasurer.

This year's Student Council has been responsible for such activities as: Homecoming, assemblies, and posting events on the school sign. They are also the student's link to the Administration and help determine some of the school's policies which affect us daily.

#### YR1977PG079

Math and Science Club

First row: Jim Sand, Marc Stephens, Chuck Fast, Bryce Sunderman, Mr. Lowry, Sponsor, Second Row: David Boggess, Lynette Carlson, Pam Grashorn, Trudy Greenfield, Cathy Garey, Bryce Franson, Bill Enarson. Third Row: Mrs. Fairman: Sponsor, Laura Brock, Leslie Harter, Sarah Williams, Tom Wright, John Schafer, Steve Solt, Rod Fast. Fourth Row: Kristin Enarson, Marcy Wright, Diane Gourly, Karen Snow, Lori Peterson, Kathy Crum, Serri Fast, and Judy Shirley.

#### YR1977PG080

A new FFA Banner in memory of Richard Greenfield.

First row: Bill Shipley, Vice-President; Jim Sand, President; Paul Yeske, Reporter; Bill Enarson, Treasurer; Marc Stephens, Secretary; Victor Dicks, Sentinel. Second row: Jr. Hanson, Keith Anderson, Tom Wright, Rod Fast, Jeff Marsh, Gary Loutzenhiser, Dan Snow, Jim Kasha, Brett Crouse. Third row: Gary Carlson, Craig Smith, Trent Heard, Cecil Stephens, Jerry Fisher, Bernard Cerven, Ray Agnew, Dale Albrect, Frank Shepard, Cliff Baldwin. Fourth row: Marty Schroeder, Bryan Dickey, Mitch Jergenson, Bill Halda, Brian Herzberg, Dwight Sunderman, Terry Westerlund, Steve Bergren, Steve Schafer. Fifth row: Robby Marsh, Danny Sparks, Karl Enarson, Daniel Gray, Doug Garey, Danny Smith, Gary Hardisty, Greg Hart. Not pictured: Ray Shephard, Mark Boggess, Rod Focht, Lloyd Wilson, John Barr, Terry Haley, Fred Crouse, Jim Lint, Earl Peterson, Bob Dumler, Mark Focht, John Strand.

#### YR1977PG081

Reno Smith Chapter has been very active in our community service program in the last year. Our first major project was working on the front of the Rialto Theatre. Fifty-five of our last year's members worked on this project. The next project was the bandstand in the park, a bicentenial project. Funds for both of these projects were collected through the basketball marathon. In the fall, we handed our free football programs to the public. Fruit sales are our main money making project. A community service as well as a safety project was our can crusher. Our members crushed 91/2 tons of chemical cans.

Our main recreational activity was the Parent-Member banquet to honor all the people in the community who helped us during the past year.

This year Reno-Smith had two Iowa Farmer Awards which were presented to Bill Shipley and Jim Sand at the 49th annual Leadership conference ence in Des Moines. We also were well represented in state contests. We recieved second gold in BOAC, a silver with Chapter Exhibit, a bronze in. our Chapter Program of Work, and Bill Shipley recieved a sheep proficiency.

For our community safety project, we held a car safety check. We checked about 30 to 35 cars. We were helped by the Villisca Police and Trooper Bill Zimmerman.

Right Sweetheart Candidates Left-Right: Marty Kernen, Marcia Schrader, Queen, Nancy Leichty, Sharon Rusk, Debbie Clark.

Below, Mr. Nelson hog-ties FFA Member

Guest Speaker Craighton Knau

### YR1977PG082

The Y-teens have completed another busy year. Among their many activities were; trick or treating for UNICEF, preparing Thanksgiving baskets, fixing toys for the annual Kiddie Party, Christmas caroling, playing volleyball at the MHI, organizing the Twirp Dance, serving the FFA Banquet, also preparing the annual Mother-Daughter Tea.

Y-teen Queen and her court; Trudy Greenfield, Jeanna Hampel. Gail Baldwin, Queen Shala Salway, and Sharon Rusk.

Janie Gray, Cheryl King, and Gaillyn Kinser wrap presents for the Kiddie Party.

#### YR1977PG083

Y-Teens

Cabinet

First Row: Tracy Greenfield, treasure; Diane Herzberg, secretary; Sharon Rusk, co-president; Cheryl King, co-president; Cindy Baldwin; vice-president. Second Row: Leslie Thomas, Sue Armstrong, Cindy Mauderly, Pam Grashorn, Gail Baldwin, Tammy Marsh, Trudy Greenfield, Karen Rhamy, and Debbie Gray. Third Row: Lynette Carlson, Kris Enarson, Ronnel Herzberg, Teri Hart, Gaillyn Kinser, Marcy Wright, Lesia Haer, Angela Herzberg,

Brenda Shapcott, and Karyn Snow.

#### YR1977PG084

Pep Club

Letterman's Club

### YR1977PG085

Volcano Staff

Spanish Club

#### YR1977PG086

Vocal Music

First row: Mrs. Dougherty, Lori Herman, Kay Roberts, Jane Boggess, Pat Haley, Carole Clark, Jane Poston, Cheryl King, Marcia Schrader, Cindy Mauderly, Sharon Rusk, Diane Herzberg, Beth Berggren. Second row: Cheryl Dicks, Lori Kinser, Brenda Shapcott, Patricia Walter, Tina Gulick, Chris Berggren, Mary Bailey, Shari Walters, Sarah Williams, Pat Perry, Debbie Smith, Teresa Ellis, Gaillyn Kinser. Third row: Bernard Cerven, Cecil Stephens, Dale Albrecht, Dan Snow, Marc Stephens, David Boggess, Gary Loutzenhiser, Jim Sand. Not Pictured: Debbie Magneson, Darla Schrader.

The outstanding vocal achievement award was presented to Cheryl King for her musical interest, citizenship, attitude, service, and dedication to the vocal department. She was elected by the chorus members. The Chorus, Swing Choir, and Girls' Glee had a very successful year. Some of the activities that were participated in were Creston Little All-State, IWCC production of the "Messiah", Christmas caroling, and singing for Commencement. Also the entire choir participated in the musical "You're a Good Man Charlie Brown." For the first time in several years, the Girls' Glee decided to try their luck at large group contest. Singing at churches and the nursing home has made this year a huge success.

# YR1977PG087

Girls' Glee

Swing Choir

**Contest Participants** 

# YR1977PG088

Marching Band

Concert Band

Stage Band

### YR1977PG089

Bluejay Band

This year, like all others, was filled with early morning practices, routine workouts, and hard work from every member.

We started our marching season with a I rating at Mt. Ayr, where we showed off our new uniforms. Then we travelled on to Clarinda where we displayed our fine street marching ability, and went on to compete in the evening program, where we were rewarded for our fine efforts with the second place trophy for Class B. We showed off our field marching talents again at State Contest and later at Hafts-mouth, and brought home 2 II ratings. We also marched in our Homecoming Parade and at all home football games.

.Marty Kernen was our band queen this year. She represented us at Mt. Ayr and at Clarinda. Again this year Jeanna Hampel did a fine job as our drum majorette.

Concert Band spent most of its time preparing for concerts: the Christmas Concert, Winter Concert, Parade of Bands Concert, and the Honors Concert. Somehow we managed to squeeze in Large Group and Small Group

Contests. We also played at Commencement.

Stage Band participated in jazz festivals at Creston and East Union. The Annual Jam Session finished off a busy year.

Majorette Jeanna Hampel

Small Group No. I's: Front, left to right: Gaillyn Kinser, Cheryl King; Back: Bernard Cerven, Ray Agnew, Dave Boggess.

Honor Bandsmen: Jeanna Hampel, Dave Boggess, and Cheryl King. This page sponsored by DON MOORE MUSIC, INC., Creston, Iowa.

#### YR1977PG090

Cheryl King Trudy Greenfield Band Queen Marty Kernen Gaillyn Kinser Sharon Rusk

#### YR1977PG091

#### **Annual Staff**

First row: Laura Brock, Kris Enarson, Marcy Wright, Lesia Haer, Mike Baker, Tracy Greenfield, Kim Greenfield, Advertising Manager. Second row: Tim Schroeder, Editor; Diane Jenkins, Assistant Editor; Diane Gourley, Gaillyn Kinser, Lynette Carlson, Sarah Williams, Leslie Harter, Mr. Paul Barker, Sponsor; Gary Loutzenhiser. (Not pictured, Teri Hart, Book Sales Manager.)

The past nine months the Annual Staff has spent many long hours of their own time in preparing the 1977 BlueJay Annual. It is hoped that what we have done will help preserve the many memories of the past year so that one day we may reflect back on this year and remember.

Laura and Kim decide where the copy should go. The Annual Staff The End

#### YR1977PG092

The "Villisca Review"

Congratulates the
1976-1977 Volcano Staff
and their Advisor Mr. Kevin Avise
The Volcano is a by-monthly page in the "Villisca Review"
written and edited by the high school students.

#### YR1977PG093

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1978 Bluejay

Villisca, Iowa

# YR1978PG002

DEDICATION

SCIENCE

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

In the years he has been here, he has been a fine asset to our school and town. He has coached our football and boys' track teams to many victories. He also taught Biology and P.E.

With great pride, we dedicate the 1978 Bluejay Annual to Carl Johnson.

# YR1978PG003

Seniors

# YR1978PG004

1978 Seniors

Diane Herzberg President Bill Enarson ' Vice-President

Bryan Dickey Secretary

Tracy Greenfield

Treasurer

# YR1978PG005

1978 Seniors

Cindy Baldwin

Mike Baker Student Council Rep.

Keith Anderson

Betty Barr

Chris Berggren

# YR1978PG006

Class Motto

"Dream What You Want to Dream

Go Where You Want to Go

Be What You Want to Be

Live"

Steve Carlson

Carole Clark

Fred Crouse

Kathy Crum

Victor Dicks

# YR1978PG007

Class Motto

"Dream What You Want to Dream

Go Where You Want to Go

Be What You Want to Be

Live"

Jim Freshour

Marcia Forsythe

Rod Fast

Debbie Gray

Sandi Garey

#### YR1978PG008

Bill Halda

**Greg Haer** 

Kim Greenfield

Pat Haley

Terry Haley (not pictured)

# YR1978PG009

Jr. Hanson

Teri Hart

Angela Herzberg

Karen Herzberg

Kent Jackson

#### YR1978PG010

Colors: Royal Blue and Silver

Flower: Blue-Tipped

Rosie Jackson White Rose

Diane Jenkins

Mitch Jergenson

Lori Kinser

Gary Loutzenhiser

# YR1978PG011

Colors: Royal Blue and Silver

Flower: Blue-Tipped John Marsh

Jeff Marsh

Roxanna McCuen

Janet Oblinger

Cindy Mauderly

# YR1978PG012

Jane Poston

Larry Pond

Susan Patterson

Karen Rharny

# Shelia Refer

# YR1978PG013

Sandy Schenck

Brenda Shapcott

Marvin Shipley

Dan Snow

Nickie Taylor

#### YR1978PG014

Tammy Turpen

Sheila Way

Tom Wright

Paul Yeske

#### YR1978PG015

**National Honor Society** 

**Honor Graduates** 

Receiving Honor Medallions were Diane Herzberg, Valedictorian; Dan Snow, Kim Greenfield, Paul Yeske, Diane Jenkins, Salutatorian; Bill Enarson, and Marcia Forsythe.

# YR1978PG016

1978 Those were the Days!

#### YR1978PG017

Underclassmen

# YR1978PG018

Junior

Marcy Wright, Pres. Bart White, V. Pres. Karyn Snow, Sec. Eddie Carlson, Treas.

Kay Agnew Dale Albrecht Mary Bailey Patty Barr Traci Bartlett

Steve Bergren Russell Bewley Lloyd Black Mark Boggess Laura Brock

Kenny Brown Georgene Bruce Jack Campbell Gary Carlson Cheryl Dicks

Christy Ellis Lynn Fairman Sherri Fast Jerry Fisher Rod Focht

Janet Forsythe Diane Gourley Daniel Gray Tammi Gray Tina Gulick

# YR1978PG019

Lesia Haer Donna Halda Calvin Haley Chris Haley Mike Hall
Laura Hanson Trent Heard Debbie Helm Lori Herman Brian Herzberg
Jim Kasha Susan Kerns Betty Lukens Mike Marsh Rob Marsh
Randy Nelson Frank Orr Lori Peterson Marty Schroeder Ray Shepherd
Craig Smith Debbie Smith Cecil Stephens Kelly Taylor Kim Turpen
Shari Walters Teena Weaver Lloyd Wilson

# YR1978PG021

Juniors

#### YR1978PG02

Steve Schafer—president Patricia Walter—vice president Ronnel Herzberg—secretary Gary Hardisty—treasure

# Sophomores

David Archer Cliff Baldwin Beth Berggren Linda Berggren Jane Boggess Jim Brown Lynette Carlson Scott Cooper Brett Crouse Eugene Currin LeRoy Currin Teresa Ellis Kris Enarson Doris Garey Troy Gilleland

#### YR1978PG023

Denise Gray Cindy Greenfield Marilyn Halda Pam Haley Greg Hart
Leslie Harter Nanette Leichty Ron Lukens Charles McCuen Debbie Magneson
Jeff Moore Charlene Orr Cindy Overman Kay Roberts Darla Schrader
Frank Shepherd Danny Smith Teri Spencer Karla Sunderman Debbie Taylor
Lisa Wagaman Tammy Westerlund Lynette Wiechman Sarah Williams Tom Williams
Dennis Wright

# YR1978PG024

Sophomores

#### YR1978PG026

 $Ann \, Shipley; \, President \, Scott \, Taylor; \, Vice-president \, Martha \, Stephens; \, Secretary \, Angie \, Snow; \, Treasurer \, Jim \, Barr \, Kevin \, Anderson$ 

Tom Bashaw Gene Behrens Mae Bewley Kim Black

Roger Cerven Diane Clark Terri Cooper David Crum

Linda Currin Carla Dicks Larry Dozier Kim Fisher

#### YR1978PG027

Cindy Forsythe Joanna Garey John Hall Carla Hardisty
Mark Herzberg Merri Kerr Amy Lehmkuhl Marty McCuen
Gary Mattson Steve Neal Jon Oltmanns Jeff Patterson
Connie Peterson Randy Rucker Doug Schenck Jeff Sparks
Kevin Sparks Dennis Sunderman Lana Walters Byron Way
Not pictured: Bruce Fitzwater Sharon Doyle Bonnie Peterson Blaine Sunderman

# YR1978PG028

Freshmen

#### YR1978PG031

**School Activities** 

# YR1978PG032

Homecoming Activities 1977

# YR1978PG034

Homecoming Queen Miss Tracy Greenfield

# YR1978PG035

Nickie Taylor Cindy Mauderly Rosie Jackson Kim Greenfield

# YR1978PG036

Jr.-Sr. Prom

Good-bye Yellow Brick Road By the fountain.

#### YR1978PG037

Back Row: Danny Smith, Jim Brown, Steve Schafer, Dennis Wright, Jeff Moore. Front Row: Carla Hardisty, Martha Stephens, Amy Lehmkuhl, Lana Walters, Diane Clark.

#### YR1978PG038

1978 Graduation

Commencement speakers: Kent Jackson, Marcia Forsythe, Cindy Baldwin, and Diane Herzberg.

Karen reflects back on yesterday's memories.

The Big Moment!

Tom receives his diploma.

#### YR1978PG039

#### **GOOD LUCK**

TO THE

**GRADUATING CLASS** 

Congratulations!

Dan sang "The Way We Were."

The graduates are ready to depart with their diplomas clutched close at their sides.

Angela and Bill solemnly march down the aisle.

Lesia and Kenny guide the way for the seniors.

# YR1978PG040

# Awards 1978

Dedication of the 1978 Bluejay Annual to Mr. Carl Johnson.

Dan Snow, Dirrum Scholarship; Marcia Forsythe,

Schroeder Scholarship; Jane Posten, Tyler Scholarship.

Welcome for 1978 Awards Night was given by 1978-79 Student Council President Mark Boggess. Awards were given for business, drama, Pep Club, girls and boys track, and girls and boys golf. An award from the State of Iowa Athletic Association recognizing competition in the Iowa State Wrestling Tournament was given to Dale Albrecht. Respective scholarships were given and valedictorian and salutatorian were named.

Valedictorian Diane Herzberg Salutatorian Diane Jenkins

Henry Tyler Scholarship Jane Posten

Oscar Schroeder Scholarship Marcia Forsythe

Villisca Community Leadership Award Paul Yeske

Departmental Scholarship—Fine Arts Jane Posten
American Bar Association—Citizenship Award Mike Baker

Robert A. Rusk Scholarship Carol Clark

Y-Teen Scholarship Cindy Baldwin

Sutphen Memorial Scholarship Dan Snow

Aid Association for Lutherans Scholarship Diane Herzberg

FFA Scholarship Paul Yeske

Dekalb Award Paul Yeske

State of Iowa Scholars

Iowa State Scholarship

Diane Jenkins & Diane Herzberg

Diane Jenkins & Diane Herzberg

Villisca Community Technical Scholarship.... Carole Clark

Guy & Mabel Dirrum Educational Trust Dan Snow Diane Jenkins
Iowa Farm Degree Paul Yeske & Gary Loutzenhiser
Maryville Scholarship Cindy Baldwin, Diane Jenkins Mike Baker
Clarinda Community College Scholarship . . . . Karen Rhamy Cindy Mauderly

#### YR1978PG041

Mike Baker, Bar Award; Paul Yeske, Leadership Scholarship.

Salutatorian Diane Jenkins, Valedictorian Diane Herzberg.

Carole Clark, Rusk Scholarship; Tracy Greenfield, Technical Scholarship; Cindy Mauderly, Clarinda College Scholarship; Cindy Baldwin, Maryville Scholarship; Karen Rhamy, Clarinda College Scholarship.

### YR1978PG042

#### Drama Club

Front row: Mrs. Meyer, Sponsor, Pat Haley, Vice-president; Dan Snow, President, Best Actor. Second row: Beth Berggren, Lynn Fairman, Kristin Enarson, Ann Shipley, Shari Walters, Chris Haley, Laura Brock, Dale Albrecht. Third row; Diane Herzberg, Jane Boggess, Tina Gulick, Best Actress; Patricia Walters, Christy Ellis, Jane Posten, Carole Clark, Cindy Mauderly. Back Row: Lori Kinser, Chris Berggren, Mike Baker, Jim Freshour, Ron Lukens, Cindy Baldwin, Cecil Stephens.

#### YR1978PG043

ROCK N ROLL

Everyone prepares for the Big Night!
Betsy Lou and Corndoggie find one another.

#### YR1978PG044

# ATHLETIC BANQUET 78

The theme for this year's Banquet was "A Star Is Born". Pictured in the upper left-hand column is this year's speaker, Tom Apke, Basketball coach for the Creighton BlueJay's. The recipients of the Senior Sportmanship Awards were Rod Fast and Marcia Forsythe. Joyce Jenkins and Vince Else were presented with letter jackets as honorary members of the Letterman's Club.

# YR1978PG045

Sports

# YR1978PG046

# Blueiav Football

Front Row: Tom Williams, Jeff Marsh, Scott Taylor, Marvin Shipley, Gary Carlson, Cecil Stephens, Kevin Anderson, Dennis Sunderman, Tom Bashaw, Mark Boggess. 2nd Row: Greg Hart, Dale Albrecht, Kelly Taylor, Steve Carlson, Larry Pond, Rod Fast, Jim Freshour, Kim Black, Marty Schroder, Eugene Currins. 3rd Row: Mike Hall, Kenny Brown, Greg Haer, Buzz Dicks, Craig Smith, Steve Schafer, Randy Rucker, Jim Brown, Bruce Fitzwater, Calvin Haley. Back Row: Coach Carl Johnson, Rob Marsh, Bill Halda, David Crum, Gary Loutzenhiser, Lloyd Black, Rod Focht, Kent Jackson, Coach Bob Russell, Coach Dale Ernster, and Manager Mike Baker. The Bluejay Football Team ended with a 3-6 season. The team was much better than the record shows. They had successful games against Shelby, Lenox, and Bedford. They played very close games with Mt. Ayr, Greenfield, East Union, Griswold, and Exira. Twelve Juniors are returning next year to try and improve this year's record. Good Luck, Guys!!!

The following people made the All Tall-Corn Conference Team:

Greg Haer—Ist team Offense. Rod Fast—Honorable Mention Kent Jackson—Honorable Mention Buzz Dicks—Ist team Defense Mitch Jergenson—Ist team Defense Kenny Brown-2nd team Defense Bill Halda—Honorable

#### Mention

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#### YR1978PG047

#### Score!

We've got him now!

He's not under here!

Same to ya, Buddy!

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#### YR1978PG048

Front Row: Tracy Greenfield, Diane Jenkins, Mgr. Susan Patterson, Karen Herzberg, Marcia Forsythe, Back Row: Coach Dale Ernster, Lynn Fairman, Laura Brock, Chris Haley, Janet Forsythe, Ann Shipley, Shari Walters, Sherri Fast, Lesia Haer, Tammy Westerlund, Coach Bob Russell.

Front Row: Amy Lehmkuhl, Merri Kerr, Lana Walters, Ann Shipley, Joanna Garey, Cindy Forsythe, Carla Hardisty, Back Row: Coach Dale Ernster, Lynette Carlson, Beth Berggren, Dada Schrader, Kris Enarson, Tammy Westerlund, Coach Bob Russell.

#### YR1978PG049

Jayette Basketball

VICTORIOUS!

Marcia blocks a shot.

Laura hooks one in.

#### YR1978PG050

Front Row: Greg Haer, Kenny Brown, Kent Jackson, Brian Herzberg, Craig Smith, Rod Fast, Bill Enarson. Back Row: Coach Steve Wood, Cecil Stephens, Calvin Haley, Scott Cooper, Jerry Fisher, Mark Boggess, Asst. Coach Richard Clark.

Bluejay Basketball

The boys' varsity basketball team finished with a 6-13 record overall and a 2-10 record in the Tall Corn Conference. The Jays finished the season on a high note, winning their last two games before losing to Corning in the Sectional finals.

Kent Jackson was the top scorer with a 19 point average.

Jackson and Brian Herzberg were top rebounders. Kent Jackson was also named to the 2nd team All Conference.

Kent takes the jumper.

# YR1978PG051

Front Row: Troy Gilleland, Calvin Haley, Bruce Fitzwater, Mark Boggess, Jerry Fisher, Scott Taylor, Dennis Sunderman, Back Row: Asst. Coach Richard Clark, Jeff Sparks, Jeff Moore, Jim Brown, Blaine Sunderman, Danny Smith, Cecil Stephens, Kevin Anderson, Gary Hardisty, Coach Steve Wood.

Greg gets inside for the shot.

Kenny is fouled on the way up.

# YR1978PG052

# VHS Wrestling

Head Coach, Bob Lemon; Eddie Carlson, wt. 112; Dale Albrecht, wt. 119; John Hall, wt. 132; Russell Bewley, wt. 138; Raymond Shepherd, wt. 155; Assistant Coach, Matt Lowry.

The 1977-78 Wrestling Team consisted of five members and two coaches. Their Dual record was 0-7, but many

individual achievements were reached. At the Clarinda Tournament, Dale Albrecht placed 2nd. Dale placed first at the Glenwood, South Page, and East Union Tournaments. He also placed 2nd in the Conference Meet. Ray Shepherd placed 4th at Glenwood and 5th at East Union. Ray also placed 4th at the Conference Meet. Russell Bewley placed 3rd at South Page and 4th at Clarinda. Over all the season was a great learning experience. All the wrestlers became more experienced and are looking forward to the 1978-79 season.

#### YR1978PG053

Dale Albrecht qualified for the State Wrestling Meet. Dale placed 2nd in both the Sectional and District Tournaments. He is the first State qualifier from Villisca and finished the season with a 19-6-1 Record. (Below) Russell stays on top! Eddie is in position.

# YR1978PG054

## Girl's Track

Back row: Leslie Harter, Jane Boggess, Beth Berggren, Ann Shipley, Cindy Forsythe, Sarah Williams, Carla Hardisty, Coach Dale Ernster Front row: Kim Greenfield, Diane Jenkins, Tracy Greenfield, Laura Brock, Shari Walters.

The girls track team had another fine season this year. They broke three more school records and scored more team points at the meets this year than ever before. The three records the girls claimed were: Mile relay team; Beth Berggren, Diane Jenkins, Ann Shipley, and Sarah Williams, 4:36.0. Distance medley relay team; Tracy Greenfield, Kim Greenfield, Diane Jenkins, and Beth Berggren, 5:00.0. Laura Brock in the softball throw, 197'5". The weather (cold and rainy at most of the meets) didn't stop the girls from doing a fine job. Tell us another one.

#### YR1978PG055

# Ughhh.

Camara Shy. It's halftime again. Another fine start. It worked in practice? Giant leap for mankind.

# YR1978PG056

From Left. Coach Johnson, Cecil Stephens, Rod Focht, Mark Boggess, Steve Schafer, Rob Marsh, Dale Albrecht, Front Row: Tom Williams, Bart White, Marty Schroder, Lloyd Black, Kelly Taylor, Randy Nelson. Not Pictured; Manager, Marcia Forsythe, Assistant Coach, Bob Russell, Jeff Moore, Mitch Jergenson, and Bill Halda. Boy's Track

The 1978 Bluejay Track team was improved from last year. Strongest areas were mainly field events and relay teams. Mitch Jergenson was in the Discus, Cecil Stephens in the Pole Vault, and Jeff Moore in the High Jump were consistant point winners. Jeff Moore also broke the school high jump record with a jump of 6'3/4". Relay Teams with Rod Focht, Kelly Taylor, Randy Nelson, Lloyd Black, Tom Williams, Marty Schroeder, Bart White and Mitch Jergenson were also point winners especially 440 and Medly Relay Units. The Conference meet in Corning was one of the most successful, with the Bluejays scoring 30 points. Winners were Jeff Moore, and Cecil Stephens, and the 440 Relay Team. "The year was very successful," commented Coach Johnson. "Our biggest problem was the weather which was bad for every meet."

Left: Mitch Jergenson qualified at the Class B District Track meet, to go to the State Meet. His discus throw at District was 135-4.

#### YR1978PG057

From Left: Shari Walters, Laura Brock, Kim Greenfield, Bluejay Relays Queen: Tracy Greenfield, Nanette Leichty, Carla Hardisty. Flower Girl; Robin Means, and Crown Bearer; Ian King.

Left; It takes a ladder to measure the cross-bar height! Cecil Stephens qualified for the State Track Meet. He finished Second in the District Meet with a vault of 11.0

#### YR1978PG058

Fall Softball

First row: Marcy Wright, Kristin Enarson, Lesia Haer, Laura Brock, Janet Forsythe, Shari Fast, Marcia Forsythe, Lynn Fairman Top row: Coach Wood, Patricia Walter, Diane Jenkins, Cindy Forsythe, Amy Lehmkuhl, Chris Haley, Lynette Carlson

1977 was the first year for fall softball at VHS. Fifteen girls were out for a four game season. Coach Wood commented, "The girls were still learning a lot."

Now...run that by me one more time.

Get it Lynn!

#### YR1978PG059

HERE IT COMES!

CONCENTRATION

Forrrrre . . . . .

Girl's Golf

The girls golf team consists of: Amy Lehmkuhl, Kristin Enarson, Diane Gourley, Ronnel Herzberg, and Lynette Carlson. The girls participated in ten meets. They placed fourth in conference.

Boy's Golf

The boys golf team consists of: Clifford Baldwin, Brett Crouse, Tom Bashaw, John Hall, Trent Herd, Mike Hall, Kent Jackson, and Rod Fast. The boys participated in eleven meets. They placed third in conference and as a result of qualifying in sectionals they went to districts.

# YR1978PG060

Top: Kim Greenfield, Lori Peterson, Diane Herzberg; Bottom: Diane Gourley, Chris Berggren, Cindy Mauderly, Cindy Baldwin, Ronnel Herzberg, Angela Herzberg

The Spirit Goes on

Half Time Entertainment

Yea Team!

#### YR1978PG061

# Go Big Blue!

Cheerleaders from the Past.

Top: Martha Stephans, Cindy Greenfield, Doris Garey; Bottom: Karla Sunderman, Donna Halda

# YR1978PG062

#### SOFTBALL

The Girls Softball Team is coached by Dale Ernster. The players are: Tracy Greenfield, Diane Jenkins, Lisa Haer, Marcy Wright, Tina Gulick, Kris Enarson, Lynette Carlson, Cathy Schafer, Teresa Simmons, Amy Crouse, Brenda Bross, Carla Hardisty, Teresa Gulick, and Lori Way.

BASEBALL

The Boys Baseball Team is coached by Steve Wood. The players are: Kent Jackson, Rod Fast, Mitch Jergenson, Bill Halda, Greg Haer, Bill Enarson, Randy Nelson, Mike Hall, Kenny Brown, Trent Heard, Rod Focht, Craig Smith, Clifford Baldwin, Steve Schafer, Blaine Sunder-man, Gene Behrens, Steve Haer, and Scott Smith.

#### YR1978PG063

Organizations

# YR1978PG064

#### Chorus

The outstanding chorus members of the 1977-78 school year were Jane Poston and Dan Snow. The Swing Choir members were Tina Gulick, Jane Poston, Cindy Baldwin, Cindy Mauderly, Chris Berggren, Diane Herzberg, Carole Clark, Ron Lukens, Jeff Marsh, Dan Snow, Jim Freshour, Cecil Stephens, Gary Loutzenhiser, and Dale Albrecht.

#### YR1978PG065

The Chorus participated in the fall school play, "Rock-nRoll."

#### YR1978PG066

Band Queen

Chris

Angela

Karen

Queen Diane

Diane

Carole Kim

#### YR1978PG067

Marching Band

Stage Band

Concert Band

#### YR1978PG068

Band Council: Cecil Stephens, Ann Shipley, Mike Baker, Lynette Carlson, Amy Lehmkuhl, Karen Herzberg. The past year was indeed a very busy one for the Villisca High School Band. Early in the year, the Band traveled to march at the Mt. Ayr, Band Day, the Clarinda Band Jamboree and the State Marching Competition. The Band also marched at the Nodaway Corn Carnival and also in the Homecoming Parade. The Marching Band displayed their field routines at all home football games. The winter months were also busy, with concerts, and small group rehersals. During these months the Stage Band attended the Tall Corn Conference Jazz Clinic, and then traveled to the Peru Jazz Festival. Also they played at the Band Mother's Smorgasboard. The spring consisted of marching at the Drake Relays and receiving the 2nd Place award. As time passed the Honors Concert approached and the Band played for the Commencement exercises. The Stage Band finished the year with the Jam Session. The Band was very well represented at the Mt. Ayr and Clarinda Parades by Band Queen Diane Jenkins. There was much hard work and pieparation for contests and concerts, and the whole year proved to be busy.

Above: Majorette, Ann Shipley.

Left: Honor Bandsmen, Carole Clark, Mike Baker, and Mr. McFee.

# YR1978PG069

# Student Council

Top row: Mark Boggess, Blaine Sunderman, Lesia Haer, Marcy Wright, Ann Shipley, Tracy Greenfield, Carla Sunderman, Mike Baker. Bottom row: Mr. Skavdahl; Sponsor, Steve Schafer; Treasurer, Bryan Dickey; Vice-President, Greg Haer; President, Diane Herzberg; Secretary, Mr. Fairman; Sponsor.

The 1977-78 Student Council has put much hard work into this school year. They are responsible for the successful Homecoming, the Student Lounge, the Christmas activities, the school sign, and many other activities.

#### YR1978PG070

1st row: Jerry Fisher, Junior Hanson, Paul Yeske, Dan Snow, Jim Freshour, Gary Loutzenhiser, Buzz Dicks, Mr. Nelson, Advisor. 2nd row: Scott Taylor, Dennis Sunderman, Tom Bashaw, Cecil Stephens, Trent Heard, Frank Shepard, Calvin Haley, Brett Crouse, Mark Herzberg. 3rd row: Ronnel Herzberg, Mary Bailey, Randy Rucker, Rob Marsh, Mark Boggess, Jim Kasha, Mitch Jergenson, Steve Bergren, Gary Carlson, Ray Shepard, Rod Focht. 4th row: Gene Behrens, Blaine Sunderman, Danny Smith, Roger Cerven, Keith Anderson, Brian Herzberg, Craig Smith, Tom Wright, Marvin Shipley, Rod Fast, Bryan Dickey, Clifford Baldwin.

#### VR1978PG071

Officers: Dan Snow, Secretary; Buzz Dicks, Vice President; Paul Yeske, President, Mr. Nelson, Advisor. 2nd row: Gary Loutzenhiser, Sentinel; Junior Hanson, Treasurer; Jim Freshour, reporter; Jerry Fisher, Points System Chairman.

The Villisca Reno Smith FFA chapter is a very active group of young people. They meet every month of the year to take care of their business. Listed below are some of their many projects throughout the year.

Car Safety Check

Parent-Member Banquet

Hog Show

Basketball Marathon

Fruit Sales Slave Auction

Sweetheart Dance

This year's FFA Sweetheart is Cindy Mauderly.

Cindy Mauderly FFA Sweetheart

# YR1978PG072

Y-Teens

The Y-Teens have had many activities this year. They went Trick or Treating for Unicef in October, in November they made Thanksgiving baskets for some of the people around town. In December, a Y-Teen Kiddie Christmas Party was held. February, they had a Y-Teen, Pep Club, and FFA Sweetheart Dance. They also helped the Nursing Home by collecting money for the Heart Assoiation. The Y-Teens operated a pop corn concession stand at home basketball games to raise money for the club. It's been a good year! Thanks to all!! The 1978 Y-Teen Queen: Angela Herzberg. Candidates: Brenda Shapcott, Roxanne McCuen, Debra Gray, and Cindy Baldwin.

#### YR1978PG073

Y-Teen Cabinet; Back row left to right: Debbie Taylor, Debbie Gray, Nickie Taylor, Janet Oblinger, Kathy Crum, Teena Weaver, Debbie Smith, Cheryl Dicks. Middle row: Denise Gray, Diane Clark, Karyn Snow, Karen Rhamy, Sandy Schenck, Marcy Wright, Lori Peterson, Tracy Greenfield, Diane Herzberg. Front row: Angela Herzberg, President; Lesia Haer, Treasurer; Ronnel Herzberg, Secretary; Cindy Mauderly, Vice President; Brenda Shapcott. President.

Sweetheart Dance.

Y-Teen Mother-Daughter Tea.

#### YR1978PG074

Pep Club

This was the first year for a pep club king. Buzz Dicks was crowned king of the FFA, Y-Teen dance. The runnersup were Jeff Marsh, Mitch Jergenson, Marvin Shipley, and Bryan Dickey. Spanish Club

# YR1978PG075

Math and Science Club Librarian's Club

#### YR1978PG076

Letterman's Club

First Row: Kent Jackson, Vice-President; Diane Jenkins, President; Marcia Forsythe, Secretary; Karen Herzberg, Treasurer, Mr. Emster, Sponsor. Second Row: Sarah Williams, Mitch Jergenson, Mike Baker, Greg Haer, Marvin Shipley, Leslie Harter. Third Row: Lynette Carlson, Tina Gulick, Chris Berggren, Cindy Mauderly, Angela Herzberg, Kim Greenfield, Janet Forsythe, Tracy Greenfield, Sherri Fast, Kristin Enarson. Fourth Row: Lesia Haer, Marcy Wright, Lori Peterson, Diane Gourley, Ronnel Herzberg, Diane Herzberg, Shari Walters, Laura Brock, Lynn Fairman, Beth Berggren.

This year's Letterman's Club has been responsible for such activities as: helping with the hog roast, decorating for the Homecoming Dance, organizing a concession stand, and helping with the Athletic Banquet. They also help promote athletics in our community.

#### YR1978PG077

Hog Roast

Chow Down!

The Hog Roast was held on Labor Day this year. It is an annual event sponsored by the Villisca Booster Club. The evening was filled with Bingo games, a football throw, a frisbee toss, and other fun games. The Hog Roast provides funds for use in the athletic department.

Help!

Varoom-Varoom! Rrrrt.

Where's the fire?

# YR1978PG078

**Annual Staff** 

First Row: Laura Brock, Lynette Carlson, Beth Berggren, Diane Jenkins, Editor; Kim Greenfield, Mike Baker, Advertising Manager; Lesia Haer, and Marcy Wright. Back Row: Kristin Enarson, Assistant Editor; Ann Shipley, Susan Kerns. Tracy Greenfield. Mr. Barker. Sponsor.

To the VHS students:

The 1977-78 Bluejay is fmally finished. Our work could be compared to an assembly line, taking pictures, typing copy, pasting pictures, and meeting our deadlines. We hope you enjoy each and every page. And some day you may enjoy this memory book to reflect back on, to shed a tear, laugh a little, and cherish some very treasured moments.

The Annual Staff

Hard at work.

# YR1978PG079

Curriculum

#### YR1978PG080

Gordon Jones Jr. High Social Studies Ann Myer English Carol Greenfield Principal's Secr. Paul Barker Commercial

#### YR1978PG081

Carolyn Harris Superintendent's Secr.
Matthew Lowry Science
Bernice Guffey
English, Jr. High Reading
Helen Shipley Librarian
Terry Herring Resource Room

# YR1978PG082

Carl Johnson Biology, H.S. P.E.
Sandra Nelson Home Economics
Dorothy Strickland Jr. High Office
Steve Wood Jr. High Science Jr. High P.E.
Jack Fairman, Jr. Guidance Councelor

# YR1978PG083

Dale Ernster Social Studies Marcia Dougherty Vocal Music Linda Pearson Jr.-Sr. Art Susan Stewart Librarian Marlene Kennon Resource Room

#### YR1978PG084

Virginia Fairman Jr. High Math Robert Russell Social Studies Helen Sutphen Nurse Dave Templeton Industrial Arts Robert Lemon Math

#### YR1978PG085

Terry McFee Instrumental Music Marilyn Carlson Science, Dr. Ed. Kim Smith Speech, English Richard Clark Spanish, English Roberta Dickey School Board Secr.

# YR1978PG086

School Administration

Mr. Skavdahl, principal, reads the daily bulletin.

Mr. Mason, Superintendent, reads a letter from the Department of Public Instruction.

The School Board members for the 1977-1978 were Mrs. Tom Enarson, President, Mrs. Joe Shipley, Joe Northup, Harry Hall, and Herb Bashaw. Roberta Dickey continued as the Board secretary.

#### YR1978PG087

**Bus Drivers** 

Don Wirth, Loretta Phyllis, Melvin White, Lois Frazee, Joe Shields, Alma Bewley, Joe Copelin, and Gladys Abbott

Cooks

Edna Weaver, Blanch Taylor, Irma Brannon, and Elvera Patterson

Custodians

Joe Shields, Jim Bewley, and Keith Gourley

# YR1978PG088

Faculty

#### YR1978PG089

The Villisca Review & Stanton Viking wishes to commend the 1977-78 Booster Club for their accomplishments! This year, the Booster Club really did an outstanding job. The membership was increased from 135 to 216. Hardworking members worked together to provide much support as well as equipment for Bluejay and Jayette sports. Committee members leading the pack this year were: Dick Wright, Joyce Jenkins, Joyce Albrecht, Bob Marsh, and Stan Means. Some of the many accomplishments; Allocation of \$350 for Jr. High Football equipment, chain gang equipment, supplies and repairment of the bleachers at the Football field. The film for home football games and a Homecoming sign to be hung downtown in Villisca were two other fall projects. During the winter, new basketballs for the boys and girls were purchased, and Jr. High Boy's Basketball uniforms were added. Also money was allocated for the purchase of new High School Boys Basketball uniforms. To encourage the younger students in the athletic program, patches were purchased for those participating in the Elementary Basketball program. Also student coaches were treated to pizza by the club, in their appreciation of the coaching efforts.

The Boys. Track uniforms were in bad need of repair and the foam and cross bar needed to be replaced, so funds were drawn up, along with the purchase of two new digital stop watches.

Money was also designated for new Softball equipment. Through the long year, many long hours of work as well as planning took place to widen the athletic program. From reading the above achievements, you can realize just how busy the Booster Club was, and should be saluted and thanked for their outstanding support!

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The Annual Staff would like to thank all the merchants who have supported us in the last year.

#### YR1979PG001

# Presenting...

The 1979 Bluejay Villisca Community High School

# Villisca, Iowa YR1979PG002

#### Dedication

In her job as school board secretary, she keeps the records for the board business and serves as accountant for the entire school system.

With her position in our school, she has spent many hours at her desk and has attended many late meetings. She has shown a genuine interest in the school and the activities of the students.

With well-earned respect and sincere appreciation, we dedicate the 1979 Bluejay Annual to Roberta Dickey.

#### YR1979PG003

Senior Citizens

#### YR1979PG004

PRESIDENT CHRIS HALEY: Class Off. 1 yr. Student Council 1 yr. Con. Band 4 yrs. March. Band 4 yrs. Band Council 1 yr. Chorus 1 yr. Glee Club 1 yr. Y-Teens 3 yrs. Drama Club 2 yrs. School Play 1 yr. Musical 1 yr. SB 2 yrs. BB 3 yrs. Pep Club 1 yr. Annual Staff 1 yr. FFA Sweetheart Cand. 1 yr.

VICE-PRESIDENT RAY SHEPHERD: WR 4 yrs.

SECRETARY CHERYL DICKS: Class Off. 1 yr. Creston Little All-State 1 yr Chorus 4 yrs. Glee Club 4 yrs. Y-Teens 4 yrs. Cab. 3 yrs. Drama Club 2 yrs. Musical 4 yrs. Pep Club 2 yrs. Teen Center Rep. 1 yr. Y-Teen Twirp Queen 1 yr. TREASURER CECIL STEPHENS: Class Off. 1 yr. Con. Band 4 yrs. Stage Band 2 yrs. March. Band 4 yrs. Band Council 1 yr. Creston Little All-State 2 yrs. Chorus 3 yrs. Drama Club 2 yrs. Off. 1 yr. School Play 3 yrs. Musical 3 yrs. FFA 4 yrs. Off. 1 yr. FB 4 yrs. T 4 yrs. B 3 yrs. BB 3 yrs. WR 1 yr. Spanish Club 4 yrs.

STUDENT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE BART WHITE: Class Off. 1 yr. Student Council 1 yr. T 4 yrs. Teen Center Rep. 1 yr. Annual Staff 1 yr.

#### YR1979PG005

KAY AGNEW: Con. Band 4 yrs. Stage Band 3 yrs. March. Band 4 yrs. Creston Little All-State 1 yr. Musical 1 yr. T 2 yrs. SB 1 yr. Annual Staff 1 yr. Lib. Club 4 yrs.

DALE ALBRECHT: Creston Little All-State 1 yr. Drama Club 3 yrs. School Play 4 yrs. Musical 3 yrs. FFA 4 yrs. FB 4 yrs. T 4 yrs. WR 4 yrs. Letterman's Club 3 yrs. Off. 1 yr.

MARY BAILEY: Con. Band 4 yrs. Stage Band 4 yrs. March. Band 4 yr. Creston Little All-State 1 yr. Glee Club 3 yrs. Y-Teens 4 yrs. School Play 3 yrs. FFA 1 yr. Math-Science Club 1 yr. Band Queen Cand. 1 yr.

STEVE BERGREN: FFA 4 yrs.

RUSSELL BEWLEY: T 3 yrs. WR 4 yrs.

LLOYD BLACK: FB 4 yrs. T 3 yrs. B 1 yr. Golf 1 yr. BB 1 yr.

# YR1979PG006

MARK BOGGESS: Student Council 2 yrs. Off. 1 yr. Con. Band 3 yrs. Stage Band 2 yrs. March. Band 3 yrs. FFA 4 yrs. Off. 1 yr. FB 4 yrs. T 4 yrs. BB 4 yrs.

LAURA BROCK: Con. Band 2 yrs. March Band 2 yrs. Creston Little All-State 1 yr. Chorus 1 yr. Glee Club 1 yr. Y-

Teens 2 yrs. Drama Club 4 yrs. Off. 1 yr. School Play 4 yrs. Musical 4 yrs. VB 1 yr. BB 4 yrs. SB 4 yrs. T 4 yrs. Letterman's Club 3 yrs. Math-Science Club 4 yrs. Pep Club 3 yrs. Teen Center Rep. 1 yr. Annual Staff 3 yrs.

Track Queen 1 vr.

KENNY BROWN: Student Council 1 yr. FB 4 yrs. B 4 yrs. Golf 1 yr. BB 3 yrs.

JACK CAMPBELL: FB 1 yr. T 1 yr. (no picture)

**GEORGENE BRUCE:** 

EDDIE CARLSON: Class Off. 1 yr. WR 3 yrs.

CHRISTY ELLIS: Class off. 1 yr. Con. Band 4 yrs. Stage Band 2 yrs. March. Band 4 yrs. Band Council 1 yr. Creston Little All-State 1 yr. Glee Club 2 yrs. Drama Club 2 yrs School Play 1 yr. Musical 2 yrs. Math-Science Club 4 yrs. Off. 1 yr Pep Club 2 yrs. Teen Center Rep. 1 yr. Annual Staff 1 yr. FFA Sweetheart Cand. 1 yr.

#### YR1979PG007

SHERRI FAST: T 2 yrs. SB 1 yr. BB 4 yrs. VB 1 yr. Letterman's Club 3 yrs. Math-Science Club 4 yrs. Off. 1 yr. Pep Club 1 yr.

LYNN FAIRMAN: Chorus 4 yrs. Musical 4 yrs. BB 2 yrs. T 2 yrs. SB 2 yrs. Spanish Club 1 yr.

JERRY FISHER: FFA 4 yrs. Off. 2 yrs. T 2 yrs. BB 4 yrs.

ROD FOCHT: FB 4 yrs. T 1 yr. B 4 yrs. BB 1 yr.

JANET FORSYTHE: Chorus 3 yrs. Glee Club 3 yrs. Drama Club 1 yr. SB 2 yrs. BB 4 yrs. VB 1 yr. Letterman's Club 3 yrs. Pep Club 1 yr. FFA Sweetheart Cand 1 yr.

DIANE GOURLEY: Con. Band 4 yrs. Stage Band 3 yrs. March. Band 4 yrs. SWI Honor Band 1 yr. Creston Little All-State 1 yr. Y-Teens 4 yrs. School Play 2 yrs. Musical 2 yrs. SB 1 yr. Golf 3 yrs. BB 2 yrs. VCH 2 yrs. Letterman's Club 2 yrs. Math-Science Club 4 yrs. Pep Club 4 yrs. Teen Center Rep 1 yr. Annual Staff 1 yr. Band Queen 1 yr. Y-Teen Twirp Queen Cand. 1 yr.

#### YR1979PG008

TAMMI GRAY: Pep Club 1 yr. Spanish Club 4 yrs.

TINA GULICK: Con. Band 4 yrs. Stage Band 2 yrs March. Band 4 yrs. Band Council 1 yr. Creston Little All-State 1 yr. Chorus 4 yr. Glee Club 4 yrs. Off. 1 yr. Y-Teens 4 yrs. Cab. 1 yr. Off. 1 yr. School Play 4 yrs. Musical 4 yrs. SB 4 yrs. BB 1 yr. Letterman's Club 3 yrs. Pep Club 3 yrs. Y-Teen Twirp Queen Cand. 1 yr.

LESIA HAER: Class Off. 1 yr. Student Council 2 yrs. Y-Teens 4 yrs. Cab. 4 yrs. Off. 1 yr. SB 4 yrs. BB 4 yrs. VB 1 yr. Letterman's Club 3 yrs. Off. 1 yr. Pep Club 3 yrs. Annual Staff 2 yrs. Homecoming Queen 1 yr. Cand. 1 yr. DONNA HALDA: Con. Band 4 yrs. Stage Band 1 yr. March. Band 4 yrs. Glee Club 2 yrs. Drama Club 1 yr. School Play 1 yr. Musical 1 yr. BB 2 yrs. VCH 2 yrs. Letterman's Club 2 yrs. Pep Club 2 yrs. Band Queen Cand. 1 yr. Spanish Club 1 yr. Lib. Club 4 yrs.

CALVIN HALEY: Con. Band 4 yrs. Stage Band 4 yrs. March. Band 4 yrs. Creston Little All-State 1 yr. School Play 1 yr. FFA 3 yrs. Off. 1 yr. FB 4 yrs. T 1 yr. BB 3 yrs.

MIKE HALL: FB 4 yrs. B 4 yrs. Golf 2 yrs. WR 2 yrs.

#### YR1979PG009

LAURA HANSON: Chorus 1 yr. Off. 1 yr. Drama Club 1 yr. School Play 1 yr. Musical 1 yr. Pep Club 2 yrs. TRENT HEARD: FFA 3 yrs. B 4 yrs. Golf 4 yrs. Math-Science Club 4 yrs.

DEBBIE HELM: Con. Band 4 yrs. March. Band 4 yrs. Creston Little All-State 1 yr. Chorus 2 yrs. Glee Club 2 yrs. Musical 2 yrs. VB 1 yr. Math-Science Club 2 yrs. Officer 1 yr. Spanish Club 3 yrs.

LORI HERMAN: Chorus 4 yrs. Glee Club 2 yrs. Musical 3 yrs. Annual Staff 1 yr. Spanish Club 3 yrs. lib. Club '2. yrs. Off. 1 yr.

BRIAN HERZBERG: Con. Band 3 yrs. Stage Band 1 yr. March. Band 3 yrs. Creston Little All-State 1 yr. FFA 4 yrs. Off. 1 yr. FB 4 yrs. T 2 yrs. BB 4 yrs.

JAMES KASHA: FFA 4 yrs.

#### YR1979PG010

SUSAN KERNS: BB 2 yrs. Math-Science Club 2 yrs.

MIKE MARSH: FB 3 yrs. Spanish Club 2 yrs.

BETH MASON: Class Off. 2 yrs. Student Council 2 yrs. Con. Band 4 yrs. Stage Band 1 yr. March. Band 4 yrs. Glee Club 2 yrs. Drama Club 4 yrs. School Play 4 yrs. Musical 4 yrs. SB 2 yrs. BB 1 yr. Golf 1 yr. VB 4 yrs. Tennis 3 yrs. Math-Science Club 1 yr. Annual Staff 4 yrs. Homecoming Queen Cand. 1 yr.

ROB MARSH: FB 4 yrs. T 2 yrs. Golf 2 yrs. WR 3 yrs.

RANDY NELSON: FB 3 yrs. T 1 yr. B 4 yrs.

FRANK ORR: Con. Band 3 yrs. Stage Band 3 yrs. March. Band 3 yrs. Creston Little All-State 1 yr. School Play 1 yr.

#### YR1979PG011

LORI PETERSON: Con. Band 4 yrs. Stage Band 2 yrs. March. Band 4 yrs. SWI Honor Band 1 yr. Creston Little All-State 2 yrs. Glee Club 4 yrs. Y-Teens 4 yrs. Cab. 2 yrs. Off. 1 yr. Musical 2 yrs. T 1 yr. Golf 1 yr. VCH 4 yrs.

Letterman's Club 3 yrs. Math-Science Club 3 yrs. Pep Club 4 yrs. Teen Center Rep. 1 yr. Band Queen Cand. 1 yr. FFA Sweetheart Cand. 1 yr. Y-Teen Queen Cand. 1 yr. Homecoming Queen 1 yr.

MARTY SCHROEDER: FB 4 yrs. T 4 yrs B 1 yr.

KARYN SNOW:

CRAIG SMITH: FFA 4 yrs. Off. 1 yr. FB 4 yrs. T 1 yr. B 4 yrs. BB 4 yrs.

DEBBIE SMITH: Creston Little All-State 1 yr. Glee Club 4 yrs. Y-Teens 4 yrs. Cab. 3 yrs. Drama Club 4 yrs. School Play 3 yrs. Musical 3 yrs. Pep Club 4 yrs. Teen Center Rep. 2 yrs. Spanish Club 2 yrs. Lib. Club 1 yr.

#### YR1979PG012

KELLY TAYLOR: FB 4 yrs. T 1 yr.

SHARI WALTERS: Creston Little All-State 1 yr. Chorus 4 yrs. Glee Club 4 yrs. Off. 2 yrs. Y-Teens 1 yr. Drama Club 2 yrs. School Play 4 yrs. Musical 3 yrs. FFA 1 yr. T 2 yrs. BB 4 yrs. VB 1 yr. Letterman's Club 3 yrs. Pep Club 3 yrs. Off. 1 yr. FFA Sweetheart 1 yr. Homecoming Queen Cand. 1 yr. Track Queen Cand. Spanish Club 4 yrs. Off. 1 yr. TEENA WEAVER: Y-Teens 4 yrs. Cab. 4 yrs. Pep Club 4 yrs. Spanish Club 3 yrs.

MARCY WRIGHT: Class Off. 1 yr. Student Council 1 yr. Con. Band 4 yrs. March. Band 4 yrs. Creston Little All-State 1 yr. Y-Teens 4 yrs. Cab. 3 yrs. School Play 1 yr. SB 4 yrs. BB 2 yrs. Letterman's Club 2 yrs. Pep Club 2 yrs. Annual Staff 2 yrs. Band Queen Cand. 1 yr. Y-Teen Queen Cand. 1 yr. Homecoming Queen Cand. 1 yr.

# YR1979PG013

High Honors Class of '79

Clockwise;

Susan Kerns: Valedictorian, Honor Graduate and National Honor Society
Beth Mason: Salutatorian, Honor Graduate and National Honor Society

Laura Brock: Honor Graduate and National Honor Society Kenny Brown: Honor Graduate and National Honor Society Diane Gourley: Honor Graduate and National Honor Society

Sherri Fast: National Honor Society and Citizenship Award—American Bar Association

Kay Agnew: National Honor Society Marcy Wright: Honor Graduate

Lynn Fairman: Honor Graduate and National Honor Society

# YR1979PG015

Underclassmen are the roots

of the school . . .

# YR1979PG016

Juniors

President: Leslie Harter Vice-President: Steve Schafer Secretary: Karla Sunderman

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Teresa Ellis
Denise Gray
Cliff Baldwin
Lynette Carlson
Kristin Enarson
Cindy Greenfield
Beth Berggren
Scott Cooper
Doris Garey
Marilyn Halda
Linda Bergren
Brett Crouse

# Laura Haley YR1979PG017

Troy Gilleland

Darla Schrader Frank Shepherd Danny Smith Teri Spencer
Debbie Taylor Lisa Wagaman Patricia Walter Tammy Westerlund
Lynette Wiechman Sarah Williams Tom Williams Dennis Wright
Gary Hardisty Greg Hart Ronnel Herzberg Nanette Leichty Ron Lukens
Debbie Magneson Jeff Moore Charlene Orr Cindy Overman Kay Roberts

# YR1979PG018

And Then ...

Dangerous Territory.

When You're Hot You're Hot!

# YR1979PG019

Cone Ears.

Macho Man.

Remember I'm The Editor!

# YR1979PG020

Sophomores

President; Scott Taylor
Vice President; Carla Hardisty
Secretary; Tom Bashaw
Treasurer; Cindy Forsythe

Kevin Anderson Diane Clark Bruce Fitzwater Mark Herzberg

Jimmy Barr

Tern Cooper

Joanna Garey

Merri Kerr

Gene Behrens

Carla Dicks

Becky Haley

Amy Lehmkuhl

Roger Cerven

Kim Fisher

John Hall

Gary Mattson

# YR1979PG021

# Deanna Means

Connie Peterson

Angie Snow

Julie Nines

Randy Rucker

Jeff Sparks

Jeff Patterson

Doug Schenck

Martha Stephens

**Bonnie Peterson** 

Ann Shipley

Blaine Sunderman

Dennis Sunderman Lana Walters Byron Way

Not Pictured: David Crum Linda Currin Kelly Lenz

# YR1979PG022

Sophomores

Did you say guys?

Hard at work.

Man of leisure.

Yeehaw!

# YR1979PG023

Just friends.

Beauty at its best.

What happened next?

Don't you dare!

What?

Yoo-Hoo!

Never a quiet moment.

# YR1979PG024

Freshmen

President: Carrie Crum Vice President: Rick Guffey Secretary: Cathy Schafer Treasurer: Kent Marsh

Doug Breggren

Brenda Bross

George Bruce

Shawn Carlson

Sheri Cooney

Amy Crouse

Penny Dumler

Jeff Fairman

Patty Gaunt

Benny Gay

Donna Gilleland

Theresa Gulick

Steve Haer

Charles Haley

Wade Haley

John Hampel

# YR1979PG025

Jeff Herman Craig HerzbergWendy Hollingsworth Virginia Lacox

Tim Northup Russell Poston Trudy Refer Mary Roberts

Doug Sexton Bart Shipley Teresa Simmons Cheryl Spencer

Theresa TaylorKenneth Thomas Randy Turpen Lori Way

Roger Motsinger Kris Schroeder Debbie Taylor

#### YR1979PG026

Freshmen Have Fun

#### YR1979PG029

The Curriculum . . .

Keeps Things Under Control.

# YR1979PG030

School Administration

Mr. Skavdahl, our principal, receiving an important phone call.

Mr. Mason, our superintendent, at his desk preparing for a day full of events.

During the school year of 1978-1979, the following people served on the Villisca School Board: (from left to right) Roberta Dickey, Board secretary, Herb Bashaw, President, Mrs. Joe Shipley, 2nd row: Bob Frey, Marvin Smith. Harry Hall.

# YR1979PG031

Helen Shipley P.E. & Library Aide Dorothy Strickland Jr. High Office Carolyn Harris Superintendent Secretary Roberta Dickey Board Secretary Carol Greenfield Principal Secretary Helen Sutphen School Nurse

# YR1979PG032

Linda Pearson Art

Carl Johnson P.E.—Biology Susan Stewart Part-time Librarian Marcia Dougherty Vocal Music Jack Fairman Guidance Counselor Ann Meyer English

#### YR1979PG033

Marilyn Carlson Science—Drivers Education
Dale Ernster Social Studies
Robert Russell Social Studies
Rick Sprague Vocational Agriculture
Paul Barker Commercial
Kim Smith English—Speech

#### YR1979PG034

Terry Mc Fee Instrumental Music Virginia Fairman Mathematics Robert Lemon Mathematics Terry Herring Resource Room Mark Kauffman Industrial Arts Richard Clark Spanish-English

#### YR1979PG035

Marlene Kennon Resource Room Kathleen Means Home Economics Larry Oiler Science Gordon Jones Social Studies Steve Wood Science Berniece Guffey Reading

# YR1979PG036

Personnel

BUS DRIVERS: Henry Kasha, Carl Stephens, Gladys Abbott, Keith Gourley, John Kemery, Joe Copelin, Alma Bewley, and Denise Copelin.

COOKS: Elvera Peterson, Irma Bran-

nan, Edna Weaver, and Blanch Taylor.

CUSTODIANS: Joe Shields, Keith Gourley, and Dale Smith.

# YR1979PG037

Activities are fun for everyone . .

# YR1979PG038

Homecoming 1978

Matt Rupe and Jenny Baker

Queen Lori Peterson and her court

Homecoming, once again was a very busy time for all V.H. S. students. The floats showed that a lot of time and effort were put into them and they were shown with great pride in the homecoming parade on Friday. Entries in the parade included the V.H.S., V.J.H.S., and the Red Oak marching bands, and floats from several local organizations.

In an exciting game Friday night, the Bluejays "squeezed" past the Corning Red Raiders, 3-0. The homecoming dance was held in the Armory after the game. Everyone agreed it was a week well spent and due to the cooperation of the students, faculty, and community, Homecoming 1978 was a great success.

#### YR1979PG039

2nd Place—Junior High 3rd Place—Freshman 1st Place—Seniors 4th Place—Sophomores 5th Place—Junior

#### YR1979PG040

Queen Lori Peterson

#### YR1979PG041

Shari Walters

Beth Mason

Marcy Wright

Lesia Haer

### YR1979PG042

Aunt Eller Christy Ellis
Curly Cecil Stephens

Laurey Tina Gulick

Ike Skidmore Craig Herzberg Rick Guffev Shorty Jim Kasha Fred Will Parker Jeff Fairman Jud Fry Shawn Carlson Jane Boggess Ado Annie Carnes Ali Hakim Rusty Poston **Gertie Cummings** Lynn Fairman Ellen Shari Walters Sarah Williams Fave Vivienne Diane Gourley Debbie Smith Virginia Andrew Carnes Greg Hart Cord Elam Dale Albrecht Director Mrs. Means

# Music Director YR1979PG043

**Brother Goose** 

Jeff Adams Dale Albrecht
Carol Adams Christy Ellis
Wesley AdamsJeff F airman

Mrs. Dougherty

Hyacinth Adams Jane Boggess Mrs. Lumpkins Tina Gulick Peggy Winkel Shari Walters Mrs. Mason Beth Berggren Beth Mason Eve Mason Alice Laura Brock Sarah Williams Lenore Hudson Mrs. Lulu Trimmer Chris Haley Truck Driver Rick Guffey Mailman Terri Cooper Special Messenger Cheryl Spencer Director Mrs. Means

#### YR1979PG044

Jr.-Sr. Prom "Stumbin' In" . May 12, 1979

#### YR1979PG045

Prom this year was held in the Armory. The waitresses were Cathy Schafer, Amy Crouse, Donna Gilleland, and Carrie Crum. The waiters were Blaine Sunderman, Scott Taylor, Mark Herzberg, and Dennis Sunderman. The music was provided by Johnny's 8th Street Buzz Band.

#### YR1979PG046

Kay Agnew: Villisca Community Technical Scholarship; Chris Haley: Villisca Community Technical Scholarship; Sherri Fast: Villisca Community Leadership ScholarshipAward and the Departmental Scholarship—Science; Susan Kerns: Henry Tyler Scholarship and State of Iowa Scholar; and Beth Mason: Luther College Scholarship and State of Iowa Scholar.

Cecil Stephens: FFA Reno Smith Chapter Scholarship; and Craig Smith: FFA Reno Smith Chapter Scholarship. Hard Work Pays Off at

Annual Awards Night

The May 17,1979 Awards night honored Senior students for their hard work and accomplishments during their high school years and underclassmen for their accomplishments during the year. Eighteen seniors received scholarships as listed on this page. Eleven students from the Business Department received awards. Nineteen Speech awards were presented and Drama Awards went to thirty-three VHS Students.

Boys and Girls Golf and Track letters were awarded along with Cheerleading awards and special Pep Club

Mr. Barker rewarded the Annual Staff members for their hard work in making this book possible. The Staff then honored him for his 15 years as sponsor of the Annual and the dedication of the Bluejay to Roberta Dickey was accepted by Mr. Robert Dickey as Roberta was unable to attend.

Mr. Skavdahl announced the students who made the National Honor Society, Honor Medallion students, Salutatorian and Valedictorian. Information concerning these honors can be found on page 13.

Lynn Fairman: Edith Rusk Memorial Scholarship; and Marcy Wright: Edith Rusk Memorial Scholarship.

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Kenny Brown: Guy & Mabel B. Dirrim Educational Trust Scholarship, and State of Iowa Scholar; and Laura Brock: Guy & Mabel B. Dirrim Educational Trust Scholarship.

Bart White: Robert S. Rusk Scholarship; Lori Herman: The Oscar Schroeder Scholarship; and Tina Gulick: The Y-Teen Scholarship.

Brian Herzberg: Iowa Western Community College—Clarinda; and Shari Walters: Iowa Western Community College—Clarinda.

Marty Schroeder: Albee—Presidential Scholarship from Iowa Lakes Community College; and Trent Heard; Golf Scholarship from Iowa Lakes Community College.

#### YR1979PG048

Commencement and Baccalaureate `1979'

Graduate speakers: Kenny Brown

Lesia Haer

Mark Boggess

The chorus tells us how to live in "harmony"

Ronnel and Steve escort the seniors.

#### YR1979PG049

The faculty congratulates the seniors.

At last! Now to see if it's signed!

Ready to receive their diplomas.

Tina sings for "tomorrow".

Bart hurries out to get some firecrackers.

#### YR1979PG050

Athletic Banquet '79

The theme for this year's Athletic Banquet was "Bluejay Fever". The featured speaker was Coach Carl Johnson and recipients of the Senior Sportsmanship Awards were Janet Forsythe and Cecil Stephens.

Picture at left: John Kemery and Donna Chapman were awarded with letter jackets as honorary members of the Letterman's Club.

#### YR1979PG051

Sports add competition to our lives . . .

# YR1979PG052

VARSITY, 1st Row: Janet Forsythe, Sherri Fast, Lesia Haer, Laura Brock, Shari Walters, Beth Mason. 2nd Row: Coach Bob Russell, Tammy Westerlund, Sarah Williams, Ann Shipley, Kristin Enarson, Susan Kerns, Lynette Carlson, Coach Dale Ernster.

Jayette Basketball

JUNIOR VARSITY, 1st Row: Cathy Schafer, Amy Crouse, Lana Walters, Amy Lehnkuhl, Merri Kerr. 2nd Row: Coach Bob Russell, Cindy Forsythe, Lori Way, Darla Schrader, Joanna Garey, Deanna Means, Coach Dale Ernster.

#### YR1979PG053

# GO BIG D!

Cathy fakes right.

Shari hustles up court..

Tammy with a sure 2 pts.

Sarah gets position.

Laura takes the jumper.

#### YR1979PG054

Trying for the ace.

Here it comes, Mason!

Volleyball

1978 was the first year for Villisca Jayette Volleyball. The girls had a very successful season ending up with a 9-6 record. The Jayettes advanced all the way to District semi-finals, winning their first round pool and beating Griswold, then finally falling to a very good Atlantic team, 3-1. The VB girls also won first place medals at the.

Stanton Invitational. It was a great first year and the girls are looking forward to next season. Beth Mason made Honorable Mention All-State team and ranked 17th in state for ace serves. What a set up.

I got it!

#### YR1979PG055

Front row: Sarah Williams, Ann Shipley, Lesia Haer, Lynette Carlson, Laura Brock, Beth Mason, Cathy Schafer. Back row: Coach Wood, Janet Forsythe, Shari Walters, Sherri Fast, Darla Schrader, Kristin Enarson, Debbie Helm, Amy Lehmkuhl, Mgr. Susan Kerns, Coach Clark.

Front row: Carla Dicks, Lana Walters, Amy Lehmkuhl, Beth Berggren, Amy Crouse, Patricia Walter. Back row: Coach Wood, Jane Boggess, Cindy Forsythe, Joanna Garey, Lori Way, Deanna Means, Coach Clark.

# YR1979PG056

Blue Crush

Football

Scores

Them		Us
8 6	Graettinger	11
6	Mt. Ayr	21
0	Lenox	20
30	Greenfield	0
0	Corning	3
2 0	East Union	6
0	Bedford	26
14	Griswald	15
0	Oakland	34

# YR1979PG057

1st row, Doug Breggren, Scott Smith, Dennis Sunderman, Craig Smith, Larry Dozier, Rod Focht, Steve Schafer, Rob Marsh. 2nd row, Rick Guffey, Mike Marsh, Tom Williams, Mark Boggess, Scott Taylor, Mike Hall, Marty Schroeder, Kevin Anderson. 3rd row, Bruce Fitzwater, Craig Herzberg, Rusty Poston, Calvin Haley, Randy Rucker, Lloyd Black, Kenny Brown, Cecil Stephens, 4th row, Jim Brown, Steve Haer, Dale Albrecht, Tim Northrup, Brian Herzberg, Kelly Taylor, Randy Nelson, Tom Bashaw, Benny Gay. 5th row, Assistant Coaches Dale Ernster and Bob Russell, Manager Blain Sunderman, Head Coach Carl Johnson.

The 1978-79 Bluejay Football Team or as we will remember it "The Blue Crush" had a terrific season, finishing the year with an 8 and 1 record. We went into the season being picked to finish at the bottom of the conference and ended up second to Greenfield, who won a class 2A play off birth. Head Coach Carl Johnson received Coach of the Year. The Players who made All Conference Offense 1st team were Rod Focht, guard; Steve Schafer, utility lineman; 2nd team offense Kenny Brown, running back and honorable mention to Dale Albrecht, kicker. The 1st team defensive players were, Steve Schafer, lineman, Rod Focht, linebacker; 2nd team defense, Jim Brown, defensive end; Mike Marsh, lineman; Cecil Stephens, defensive back; with honorable mentions going to Marty Schroeder, linebacker and Lloyd Black, defensive end.

# YR1979PG058

VARSITY, 1st Row: Mark Boggess, Jerry Fisher, Steve Schafer, Cecil Stephens; 2nd Row: Assistant Coach Clark, Rod Focht, Brian Herzberg, Scott Cooper, Craig Smith, Head Coach Wood, (not pictured Kenny Brown)
JUNIOR VARSITY, 1st Row: Scott Taylor, Kevin Anderson, Rick Guffey, Doug Berggren, Dennis Sunderman, Gary Hardisty, Steve Haer, Manager Clifford Baldwin. 2nd row: Coach Clark, Tom Williams, Jeff Moore, Bruce

Fitzwater, Jim Brown, Blaine Sunderman, Rusty Poston, Craig Herzberg, Coach Wood.

#### YR1979PG059

Coop flies up for the jump ball.

Bluejay Basketball

This is Coach Steve Wood's third year coaching Villisca Boys Basketball here. He had four returning lettermen to help out his varsity squad. The battling Bluejays completed the season with a 9-10 record, having been stopped in tournament play by their strong rival, the Corning Red Raiders.

Gentlemen this isn't ballet class!

Kenny's ready to rebound that ball.

#### YR1979PG060

Wrestling

Wrestlers from right to left are, first row: 98, Jeff Fairman; 105, Roger Motsinger; 126, Dale Albrecht; 138, Russell Bewley; 155, Chuck Haley; 145, Shawn Carlson; 167, Frank Shephard; 185, Kent Marsh; HWT, Rob Marsh.

This years dual record was 0—but many individual accomplishments were made. Not one Villisca wrestler went through the season without placing in a tournament. Also Villisca had three men that placed in sectionals: Dale Albrecht, 2nd; Russell Bewley, 4th; and Rob Marsh 3rd. Dale went on to district competition and placed 3rd.

**Placers** 

#### YR1979PG061

Jeff shoots for a takedown!

Jeff bites the mat!

Roger works up from the bottom!

Shawn finds himself in trouble!

Dale works for a pin!

Dale gets two!

# YR1979PG062

Girl's 79 Record 4-2

Villisca Opponent

233 235—Lenox

219 262—Bedford

249 239—Corning

216 210-Lenox

205 212—Griswold

217 219—Farragut

3rd in Conference 6th in Sectionals

Left to right: Beth Mason, Kris Enarson, Amy Crouse, Amy Lehmkuhl, Lynette Carlson, Coach Gordon Jones.

Not pictured: Diane Gourley, Ronnel Herzberg

Golf

No, no, no. It's over there.

# YR1979PG063

Boy's 79 Record 3-3

Villisca Opponent

176 210-Lenox

165 191-Bedford

158 165-Glenwood

188 154—Corning

187 174—Lenox

174 163—Griswold

4th in Conference 8th in Sectionals

Left to right: Clifford Baldwin, Tom Bashaw, Brett Crouse, Shawn Carlson. Not pictured: Trent Heard, Robbie Marsh, Mike Hall.

1979

This won't hurt a bit Ronnel.

I know I said make sure you show up tonight, but I meant to practice!

#### YR1979PG064

#### Girls Track

Back row: Coach Ernster, Jane Boggess, Patty Gaunt, Carla Hardisty, Martha Stephens. Front row: Sarah Williams, Laura Brock, Lori Way, Cathy Schafer.

This year's track team has been very successful in breaking many school records. As a team they didn't win any meets, but individually they had many fine performances. Breaking six school records, was quite an accomplishment for the few members on the team. Coach Ernster comments on the season, "I felt that we had a very fine track season, as we have had the last three years."

Records broken:

Sarah Williamshigh jump 4'10" Laura Brock softball throw 213'

Martha Stephens 440 yd. low hurdles 1:18.6

Sarah Williams880 yd. run 2:36.2

Mile Relay Team S. Williams, B. Berggren, A. Shipley, C. Schafer 4:34
Distance Medley S. Williams, B. Berggren, A. Shipley, C. Schafer 4:38

# YR1979PG065

Sarah Williams-high jumper

Ann Shipley, Cathy Schafer, Beth Berggren, and Sarah Williams—Mile Relay, and distance med. relay.

Laura Brock—softball throw

Martha Stephens-440 yd. low hurdles

# YR1979PG066

The 1979 Bluejay Track Team; front row, Mark Boggess, Lloyd Black, Russell Bewely, Bart White, Tom Williams, Scott Taylor, Doug Berggren, Rick Guffy, Rusty Poston, Craig Herzburg, Back row, Kent Marsh, Tim Northrup, Dale Albredht, Steve Schafer, Danny Smith, Lloyd Black, Marty Schroder, Bruce Fitzwater, Jeff Moore, Scott Cooper.

Scott Cooper set a new school record of 6'2" in the High Jump and also qualified for the State Track Meet, where he finished sixth. Bart White also set a school record in the 440 yard Low Hurdles, with a time of 60.7 Bluejay Track Queen and her court; Carrie Crum, Amy Lehmkuhl, Cindy Greenfield, Queen Laura Brock, Shari Walters, Beth Berggren, Flower girl Karen Skavdahl, Crown bearer Scott Fast.

Queen Laura Brock with escort Lloyd Black.

#### YR1979PG068

Left to Right: Leslie Harter, Doris Garey, Ronnel Herzberg, Lori Peterson, Karla Sunderman, Cindy Greenfield,

Diane Gourley, Donna Halda, Beth Berggren VHS Cheerleaders Yea Team! Loyal and True

#### YR1979PG069

Keep on Truckin

The 1979 Cheerleaders were kept very active this year keeping the school spirit alive through the football, basketball, and wrestling seasons. A lot of effort is put forth by these Cheerleaders and we really appreciate them.

Left to Right: Brenda Bross, Kim Fisher, Martha Stephens, Cheryl Spencer, Theresa Gulick

#### YR1979PG070

**Summer Sports** 

Baseball

Left to Right. Front row: Bruce Fitzwater, Keith Haley, Ron Ackerman, Rick Behrens, Mark King, Scott Leichty, Jim Boggess, Gary Hardisty, Chris Herzberg, Brian Carlson. Middle row: Joe Kernen, Del Haley, Gene Behrens, Randy Nelson, Tom Williams, Steve Haer, Clifford Baldwin, Chuck Haley, Jeff Moore, Kevin Schafer. Back row: Lloyd Black, Rod Focht, Jim Brown, Steve Schafer. Blaine Sunderman, Mike Hall, Craig Smith, Coach Steve Wood. Not pictured: Cecil Stephens.

Softball and baseball were both coached by Mr. Wood. It took a lot of time and effort both by Coach Wood and the players but it proved worthwhile. Also helping was Carl Johnson. He helped when Coach Wood wasn't able to make it to both the girl's and boy's games.

Softball

Out for softball this year were: Laura Brock, Lesia Haer, Beth Mason, Marcy Wright, Lynette Carlson, Kris Enarson, Joanna Garey, Amy Lehmkuhl, Amy Crouse, Theresa Simmons, Cathy Schafer, Lori Way, Janice Else, Sue Focht. Dawnette Smith.

#### YR1979PG071

Organizations Build Leaders

# YR1979PG072

Student Council

Serving on the Student Council this year were:

First row—Carrie Crum, Bart White, Doug Berggren, Ronnel Herzberg

Second row—Mark Boggess, Steve Schafer, Leslie Harter,

Karla Sunderman, Mark Herzberg

(Absent were—Chris Haley, Scott Taylor, Blaine Sunderman)

This year the Student Council was responsible for such activities as the Homecoming Parade and Dance, changing the school sign to keep us all informed of the main events, and taking charge of the Student Lounge. They even brought something new to V.H.S.; Winter Homecoming.

#### YR1979PG073

Lettermen's Club Drama Club

# YR1979PG074

Y-Teens

Cabinet

#### YR1979PG075

Mother-Daughter Tea

The Y-teens this year have participated in many activities within our community. In October, the girls trick-ortreated for Unicef. In November, they made Thanksgiving baskets. In December, the Y-teens did their bit by sponsoring a Kidde Party and caroling at the nursing home. Throughout the rest of the year, they participated in many activities. In their own way they have contributed greatly to our community.

Chris Haley, above, welcomes the mothers at the mother-daughter tea. Below, her mother, Mrs. Calvin Haley gives response.

Y-teen seniors, their final year at last.

Y-teen Queen Cheryl Dicks and her court: (descending) Marcy Wright, Diane Gourley, Tina Gulick and (below) Lori Peterson.

#### YR1979PG076

# Reno Smith Chapter FFA

1978-79 Officers are Vice-President Brian Herzberg, Sentinel Craig Smith, Secretary Cecil Stephens, Treasurer Mark Boggess, President Jerry Fisher, Points Chairman Clifford Baldwin, Advisor Rick Sprague. Not pictured—Reporter Calvin Haley.

Harold Hommes replaced Rick Sprague (Who went into farming) as Chapter Advisor.

#### YR1979PG077

This year, like all years, the Reno Smith FFA has been very active. In the fall we had Greenhand Initiation. There is both formal and informal initiation, but you have to go through both. Later, six members from the Sophomore class went to the National Convention at Kansas City. Once again, the Basket-Ball marathon was held to raise money for the Big Pig Project, and annual fruit sales were held. 800 boxes of fruit were sold this year, plus cheese. Finally, contest was held. Six people advanced to State Contest. There, Roger Mot-singer received a silver in Creed Speaking, Brett Crouse received \$25.00 for second place and a bronze in Proficiency. Clifford Baldwin, Craig Herzberg, and Greg Hart all received bronze metals in Proficiency. Craig Smith received participation in Proficiency. The Parent-Member Banquet was held again this year, and was a success as usual. Receiving the Reno Smith Scholarship this year was Cecil Stephens and Craig Smith. Another senior, President Jerry Fisher, received the lowa Farmer Degree, the second highest degree in the FFA. Congratulations to all these people. All in all, the FFA was very successful this past year, setting the example for years to come. Beth gets initiated!

Chow time!

FFA Sweetheart Shari Walters and her court—Chris Haley, Lori Peterson, Christy Ellis, and Janet Forsythe. Jerry Fisher, this years President of the FFA received the Iowa Farmer Degree, the second highest award in the FFA.

# YR1979PG078

Lori Peterson Mary Bailey 1978 Band Queen Diane Gourley Marcy Wright Donna Halda

# YR1979PG079

# Bluejay Band

First row left to right—Debbie Helm, Carla Dicks, Cindy Overman, Jane Boggess, Christy Ellis. Second row—Marcy Wright, Lori Peterson, Laura Brock, Amy Lehmkuhl, Doug Berggren, Blaine Sunderman, Merri Kerr,

Ronnel Herzberg, Donna Halda, Tina Gulick, Diane Gourley. Third row—Lynette Wiechman, Carla Hardisty, Deanna Means, Cathy Schafer, Teresa Simmons, Theresa Gulick, Brenda Bross, Theresa Taylor, Rusty Poston, Roger Cerven, Roger Motsinger, Patricia Walters, Calvin Haley, Kay Roberts, Tom Williams, Craig Herzberg, Gene Behrens, Sheri Cooney. Fourth row—Angie Snow, Kris Schroeder, Cecil Stephens, Sarah Williams, Kristen Enarson, Beth Mason, Tim Northup, Chris Haley, Benny Gay, Frank Orr, Jeff Fairman, Amy Crouse, Mary Beth Roberts, Kay Agnew, Shawn Carlson, Martha Stephens, Ann Shipley, Leslie Harter, Mary Bailey. Stage Band A First row—Christy Ellis, Donna Halda, Ronnel Herzberg, Diane Gourley, Gene Behrens, Tina Gulick, Second row—Ann Shipley, Mary Bailey, Martha Stephens, Kay Agnew. Third row—Calvin Haley, Roger Cerven, Roger Motsinger, Patricia Walters, Jeff Fairman, Sarah Williams, Beth Mason, Kristen Enarson, Frank Orr, Leslie Harter, Lori Peterson.

Stage Band B: First row—Gene Behrens, Cathy Schaefer, Christy Ellis, Craig Herzberg, Kay Roberts. Second row—Amy Crouse, Martha Stephens. Third row—Rusty Poston, Roger Motsinger, Roger Cerven, Jeff Fairman, Sherri Cooney, Benny Gay, Carla Dicks, Kris Schroeder.

#### YR1979PG080

This year the VHS Bluejay Band had their usual early morning practices. There was a lot of hard work put in, and some grumping, but it was all worth the effort.

We started the marching season with a 1st place at Mt. Ayr. We then went on to Clarinda, where we received 2nd place in the field marching. At State marching contest we received a 1 rating. We also marched in our Homecoming parade and at all home football games.

Diane Gourley was our Band Queen this year. She was first runner-up at Mt. Ayr. Ann Shipley was once again our drum majorette. She also did a fine job.

Concert Band spent most of its time preparing for concerts: the Christmas Concert, Winter Concert, Parade of Bands Concert, and the Honors Concert. Somehow we managed to squeeze in Small Group Contest. We also played at commencement.

The end of the year also brought the Drake Relays. We journeyed up to Des Moines and marched in the Drake Relay Parade, where we received second place after only one or two weeks of practice!

The Stage Band participated in jazz festivals at Creston and East Union. The Annual Jam Session finished off a

Honor Bandspersons this year were Tina Gulick, Cecil Stephens and Lori Peterson.

The Band Council consisted of Ronnell Herzberg, Ann Shipley, Tina Gulick, Doug Berggren, Angie Snow, and Chris Haley (not shown)

# YR1979PG081

Librarian's Club

Science & Math Club

# YR1979PG082

**Vocal Music** 

Our High School Chorus at Villisca High School was really something to be proud of this year! Participation has increased over the past few years. We had 50 members this year! With a larger group, we took part in many school activities. The Booster Club Hog Roast, the School Play, "Oklahoma!", Creston Little All State, and State Music Contest, plus all of the concerts, members in Swing Choir, and our part in Graduation!

Summed up, all members of Chorus this year should be praised on a job well-done. They had a very successful vear!

Mrs. Dougherty, Vocal Music Instructor.

Tina Gulick received the outstanding vocal award and is The above students received I's at State Contest. shown receiving her letter along with other senior letter-winners.

#### YR1979PG083

Above: Mixed Chorus Left: Girl's Chorus Below: Swing Choir

#### YR1979PG084

Pep Club Spanish Club

First row: Rick Clark, sponsor, Lynette Wiechman, Teresa Ellis, Patricia Walter, Lynn Fairman, Shari Walter, Joanna Garey, Kristin Enarson, Merri Kerr. Second row: Mary Beth Roberts, Amy Crouse, Teresa Simmons, Debbie Helm, Donna Halda, Tammy Gray, Kay Roberts, Lynette Carlson, Darla Schrader, Ann Shipley, Linda Bergren. Third row: Cathy Schafer, Georgeanne Bruce, Lori Herman, Brenda Bross, Patty Gaunt, Penny Dumler, Connie Peterson, Teena Weaver, Debbie Smith, Julie Nilles, Debbie Magneson.

#### YR1979PG085

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Well, the V.H.S. Bluejay is finished for another year. The members of the Annual Staff have spent many long hours of their own time to produce this book and it is hoped that you will enjoy it.

Sincerely,

The Editor and the Assistant Editor

# YR1979PG086

The Villisca Review and Stanton Viking wishes to commend the 1978-79 Booster Club for their accomplishments.

Booster Club Leaders: Sandy Smith, Ron Carlson, Corrine Williams. (Not Pictured)—Marvin Smith, Dick and Kathy Marsh, and LeRoy Skavdahl.

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